

### Coming events.....

- Thursday, March 24 - 7 p.m.  
County health needs hearing. Public invited. Ruidoso-Hondo Hospital.
- Friday, March 25, 5 to 7 p.m.  
Spring Sports Benefit. Spanish Buffet followed by Boys Basketball and Girls Volleyball. Old Gym.
- Friday, March 25, 7 p.m.  
Capitan Junior Class Play
- Saturday, March 26 - 8 p.m.  
Lincoln County "get-to-get-her" for Otero residents. Tularosa Lions' Hut. Music-rap.  
7 p.m. - Corona Athletic Banquet. Tickets at school door.
- Saturday, March 26 - 6 p.m.  
Rio Grand Gospel Singing. Carrizozo Assembly of God.
- Sunday, March 27 - All Day  
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- Sunday, March 27 - 4 p.m.  
Mass at Three Rivers Church

# LINCOLN County News

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### Weather

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Probably the best real estate buy of the year was the \$45,600 paid for the Old Lincoln School House last week by Harve Abercrombie. He declines to say

what he will do with the building but the construction is excellent and it is obvious that this building will last another 300 years.

## County ends check spat

County Chairman John Sudderth asked and got the consent of his fellow commissioners Lee Straley and Shorty Stoneman to change the co-signatory of county warrants from the county clerk to the county treasurer.

Obviously disturbed at a recent letter from the County Clerk Jane McSwane to the district attorney requesting an opinion concerning the chairman's use of a facsimile signature, Sudderth read a letter from the district attorney replying to his own query.

Sudderth had written asking if the clerk had any doubts concerning county warrants other than record keeping; if the clerk had any auditing obligations over the commission; if the clerk's signature was required on county warrants.

The D.A.'s answer was negative to all three questions and Sudderth said, "I resent the county clerk acting as an auditor. We pay several thousand dollars a year to have the county records audited and we don't need the clerk to be doing this."

Sudderth said he would go back to signing the warrants personally although the district attorney had said use of a facsimile was permissible but, he said, "I want to be co-signed by the treasurer."

Stoneman made the motion requested by the chairman and it was seconded by Straley. Sudderth said he would go along in the interest of solving a problem.

Clerk McSwane said that her original letter had not been in the nature of auditing the commission and appeared to want to make a statement. Sudderth said there would be no debate and that he did not want the matter to get into personality discussion.

## Little League forms ready

Youngsters wanting to participate in Little League this summer, can obtain registration forms at Carrizozo School from Mr. Gilbert Archuleta.

Forms should be filled-out by parents, then youngster has to get physical check-up from Dr. Ravi Bhasker at Clinic. Free physical will be given this Friday and Saturday.

Registration forms will then be turned-in at Carrizozo Post Office with \$3.00 Registration fee. If unable to pay fee right away, turn registration in anyway. Fee can be paid at later date. Coaches will meet at Recreation Center at 6:00 p.m. for player draft.

## Zozo bowling tourney set

There will be a Masters Bowling Tournament at the Carrizozo Recreation Center April 2 and 3. There will be no charge for spectators, Albert Baca said, and the snack bar will be open.

The tournament is sponsored by the West Texas - New Mexico Men's Bowling Association and participation is open to the public.

The Pro-Am competition will be April 2. It will carry a \$10 entry fee with a \$100 first prize purse. Events will be at 12 noon, 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.

Master Bowling qualifying will be Saturday night and those who want to enter should check on the exact time. The entry fee is \$40 with the first prize \$250.

## Vega wins \$1000

Fred Vega of Carrizozo brought home \$1000 in cash prizes from the Professional Bowling Tournament at La Junta, Colorado last week.

Fred finished in fourth place after leading the qualifying round with a 230 average. This included one 300 game.

In the amateur division Albert Baca placed fourth with a 190 average.

## Easter service planned

The Christian Youth Organization will sponsor an Easter Sunrise Service at the Valley of Fires State Park. There will be a guest speaker and breakfast will follow at the Methodist Church. More details will be announced in the News next week.

## No ship in our arbor

## Free trees available from county

There will be an Arbor Day in Lincoln County, Charlie Brown. There may not be any ships coming in but there will be trees going out.

The Lincoln County Commissioners have decreed Arbor Day in this county will be Thursday, March 31 and on that tree day the county will give away about 45 willow saplings on a first come basis.

The trees are a gift of former Governor Tom Bollack who is the states biggest private supporter of tree planting.

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The remaining trees will go to private citizens providing they promise to put the trees on street fronts so they will add to the community beauty.

The county has done a lot of pre-Arbor Day work, setting out a truck load of evergreens at the courthouse.

## Hondo-Ruidoso hit with ambulance problems

Charges of inadequate service and overcharging were leveled against Associated Ambulance Service, the company which provides service in the east part of Lincoln County.

The ambulance company has told the News that the service is being discontinued. County Manager Les Olson is planning to recommend a joint meeting of the county, Ruidoso and other towns and villages involved to work out a solution if the company does stop operating in Lincoln County.

Mrs. Brecheisen, a resident of Ruidoso, told the County Commission about her experiences with the ambulance when her husband suffered a heart attack on March 3.

Mrs. Brecheisen is a Red Cross Multi-media First Aid teacher in Lincoln County and immediately recognized that her husband was suffering from a heart attack, she said.

She called her doctor who told her to call an ambulance which he would meet at the hospital.

She said she called the ponce at 7:23 for the ambulance which did not arrive until 7:52. During that 30 minutes she told of three more calls for help, of scanning the ambulance conversation on her base radio station and hearing that it was lost. She said all of the conversations could be verified by Sheriff Bill Elliott who offered to help. After the ambulance arrived at her home on Meandering Drive, the attendants failed to have a stretcher, she said, and her husband had to walk to the vehicle.

She said the ambulance appeared to get lost on the way to the hospital and that it did not reach the hospital until 8:10 when her husband was admitted. After her husband was

admitted to the hospital, the ambulance driver presented her with a bill for \$83.92 and when she started to write a check, her husband said the bill was too high and not to pay it, she said.

Another hospital employee and her doctor also advised her not to pay the bill, she said. Her home is only one mile from the hospital by her speedometer, she told the commission.

She did sign the Medicare form and she said, which pays 80 percent of the bill.

Mrs. Brecheisen said she wanted the county which subsidizes the ambulance company to take some action against what she termed unreasonable charges and inadequate service. She said that she intended to carry her complaint to the State Corporation Commission.

County Manager Les Olson said he had received another complaint and had asked Phil Embry, president of the company to reimburse the person involved.

The county's subsidy of the ambulance is for service outside the Ruidoso town limits, Olson explained and the town of Ruidoso has recently stopped its subsidy.

He told the meeting that Embry was about to discontinue ambulance service in Lincoln County and had already stopped the service in the Hondo Valley.

He said Embry had complained about the service operating at a loss and could not be continued without the Ruidoso subsidy.

Sally Gillespie, manager of the ambulance service in Las Cruces, said that a letter had been sent to the county manager Monday advising that the service would be stopped.

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## Who was Finney? Brewer arrested in bank case

The search for the mysterious "Joe Finney" has come to an end as far as Carrizozo and Lincoln County lawmen are concerned. That was the name signed to a postcard received by Johnson Stearns the morning after the window of the Citizens State Bank was found with three holes in it.

Steve Brewer, 21, of Carrizozo pled no contest to charges of shooting at the Citizens' State Bank window and was given a 90 day suspended sentence, fined \$100 and ordered to make restitution for damages by Judge Bill Payne Monday.

Brewer was arrested Monday by State police Dale Housley and Carrizozo Police Chief Choncho Morales following an investigation by state, local and Lincoln County law enforcement people.

The month of investigation began on the February 10 when Banker Johnson Stearns discovered the three bullet holes in the bank window. In his mail box that morning was a postcard reading,

Hello Pal,  
What a Beautiful Bank Building. Every dog must have his day. Look in the mirror tomorrow and speculate what happens to my good old pal.  
The mill of the gods grinds slow but they grind exceedingly fine.  
See you around, Joe Finney.

Casings for the .22 long shot shells were found in the street and the lawmen searched local store records for recent purchases.

Sheriff Bill Elliott said that working on a tip, a .22 rifle was found in Brewer's residence and according to the sheriff, Brewer admitted that the gun belonged him.

The police lab matched firing pin imprints on the shell casings found at the shooting scene with the gun allegedly belonging to Brewer, the Sheriff said.

Brewer, the Sheriff said, told him that the gun had not been out of his possession. He denied having any knowledge of the postcard which Stearns received the morning after the shooting.

## Capitan FHA honored at state



Capitan Future Homemakers of America Chapter was singled out for top state honors Saturday-night when it was named "Honor Chapter" at the State FHA Convention.

Capitan was the only chapter in the state so recognized this year, the sponsor Mrs. Angie Provine said.

Mary Ann Gutierrez, Reba and Laura Hardy, Darlene and Lucy Herrera, Debbie and Terry Castillo, and Ida Trujillo along with their advisor Mrs. Provine attended State FHA Convention in Las Cruces Friday and Saturday. The theme of the Convention "Do You Know Where You Are Going" brought out several purposes of FHA - becoming aware of the multiple roles of men and women in today's society, involved youth with adults in individual and group activities, provided opportunities for decision making and for assuming responsibilities and to develop interest in Home Economics, Home Economics Careers and Related Occupations.

The speaker of Leadership: Sizzle and Sell was Delores Gade, teacher educator from University of Wyoming, gave points in leadership attain knowledge and skills, have goals and purposes, enthusiasm, understanding and get involved.

On Saturday morning workshops by leaders were given. These workshops gave the girls many information and insights of related home economics in the United States.

Tours of the New Mexico State University were given. A style show was given by the Las Cruces and Mayfield High Schools.

Highlight of the Convention was the

Members of the Capitan FHA honored at the state convention are (from the left back) Ida Trujillo, Darlene Herrera, Mona Griego, Sally Abercrombie, Claudie Jones, Terry Castillo, Sponsor Mrs. Angie Provine (front row) Hillery Karney, Debbie Castillo, Laura Hardy, Reba Hardy, Yvonne Jones, Mary Ann Gutierrez and (not pictured) Lilly Montes and Joel Bandy.

Installation Banquet at Corbett Center with one thousand attending. The Speaker for the evening was Dr. R.L. Deter. His presentation, "Where Have We Been," gave the members and others present much to think about-what has been and what can be done through love and understanding to make this a better world.

Awards were presented to new chapters, honorary members, most increased membership, and honor chapters, however this year only one chapter in the state received the honor award - when Capitan was called - all members were wide eyed and the advisor stunned. They were all called to the stage and presented long stemmed red roses - FHA flower, and a plaque which reads Future Homemakers of American Honor Chapter, Capitan High School, in recognition of Outstanding Accomplishment and involvement in Promoting the Goals of FHA-Hero.

The members from Capitan had many learning experiences and came home inspired to lead onward toward new horizons.



County commissioner John Sudderth planted the first evergreen on the courthouse grounds. County Manager Les Olson (right) is taking orders for free willow trees the county will give away to celebrate Arbor Day

## Appointment

Ralph Dunlap, appearing for the Lincoln Historical Society, said Lincoln County was in turn for an appointment to the Lincoln Memorial Commission which is represented by the five counties composing the original Lincoln County.

He said the residents of Lincoln would like to have this appointment and would suggest the appointment of James Sanchez. He said this would be the first appointment of a Spanish descendent to the Commission. The law requires that three names be submitted to the governor who, Dunlap said, had indicated approval of the appointment. The other names submitted are Edward Panfield and Glen Dennis who are also Lincoln residents.

With Dunlap at the meeting was Jack Wallace of the New Mexico State University Extension Service. Wallace presented a preliminary budget for the Lincoln County Extension office. The \$58,681 total requires \$19,540 from the county. Not included is an additional \$5,000 for a 4-H agent since state funds do not appear to be forthcoming.

There might be CETA funds for a 4-H person, Dunlap said, and asked that the budget be increased to include expenses if that person becomes available. The commission suggested that the amended proposal be ready for the next meeting.

## Firemen

Members of the Bonito Volunteer Fire Department received favorable response to their request for inclusion on the county's radio channel.

John Hall, chief of that department, described the large area protected by his department and said that communications needed improving. He asked if another channel was planned for the county which could include the various county fire department.

Sudderth said he had monitored the county's channel which has the sheriff's department and the road department on it. Only about 6 percent use is not being made, the chairman said, and no additions are needed.

Citing the dependency of Lincoln County on volunteer departments and

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# Around town

By Eleanor Payton

Mr. and Mrs. David Vermillion are the parents of a baby boy, born March 14, 1977. They have named him David, Jr. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Payne of Carrizozo.

Mr. C. E. Degner who suffered a stroke ten days ago and is a patient at Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital in Alamogordo is still in serious condition. Mrs. Degner and Frances are staying in Alamogordo at the home of Eugene Degner while Mr. Degner is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tomson of Topeka, Kansas, were recent overnight visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wilkinson and family. Mrs. Tomson is an aunt of Mrs. Wilkinson.

Cristobell Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Hill will give a piano recital Sunday, March 27 at the Woman's Club at three o'clock, vited to attend.

Walter and Alex Chapman of Sacramento, California visited in Carrizozo over the weekend with their sister, Mrs. Wm. Hayes and Mr. Hayes.

Sally Ferguson and her son, Jeff of Ventura, California visited Mrs. Ferguson's sister, Mrs. Mary Johnson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noack of Yuma, Ariz. were in Carrizozo for two weeks visiting Mrs. Noack's sons, Jake and James Payne. While here they were guests of Mrs. Frances Payne.

Mrs. Buster Alford drove to Amarillo, Texas last week to get her mother, Mrs. Clara Quinn, who will be visiting her for two weeks.

Mrs. Alleen Lindamood, Mrs. C. A. Snow and guest Robin Evans, attended the Lincoln County Historical meeting at Capitan, Friday evening. Mr. John Meigs was the guest speaker.

Mrs. George Maki of Alamogordo was in Carrizozo Thursday. Friends of Mrs. Cleo Duggar will be pleased to know that she has returned to her home in Roswell after spending several weeks in the Sierra Medical Center in El Paso.

Mr. John Lackey of Roswell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Snow on Thursday.

Mrs. Irene Smith of Albuquerque was in Carrizozo to attend the funeral of Mr. Orris Smith last Friday. While here she was the house guest of Mrs. Claud Brannum.

Dr. and Mrs. Ravi Bhasker returned last week from Snowbird, Utah, where Dr. Bhasker attended a medical conference and they enjoyed skiing. Snowbird is a skiing resort near Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Eaker and Mrs. T.J. Chisholm were in El Paso last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. E. Belio returned ten days ago from a vacation trip to Santiago Chili where she visited relatives. She reports that the country there is beautiful, with an abundance of fresh fruits and vegetables, although the prices are high. Even coffee is as expensive there as it is in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Apodoca of Albuquerque spent last weekend in Carrizozo visiting Mrs. Apodoca's sister, Mrs. E. Belio.

## Capitan club holds lunch

The March meeting of the Capitan Woman's Club was in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Huey. The covered dish affair was to honor the State New Mexico Federated Club President Mrs. Jerry Wertheim of Santa Fe and the District Chairman Mrs. John Mershon of Cloudercroft.

About 25 ladies gathered for this important meeting. Corsages were made by Mrs. Clifford Landers and present to the guests.

Gifts of hand painted chima birds were given to the ladies. They had been made by Mrs. J.T. Pope.

Mrs. Wertheim talked on continuing help to communities. She invited the members to attend the State Convention at Farmington in April.

## Sports benefit set

There will be a Spring Sport Benefit at the Carrizozo High School Old Gym Friday, March 25. It will begin with a Spanish Buffet served from 5 to 7 p.m.

The buffet will be followed at 7 p.m. by a boys basketball game between the Senior Boys and the Town Team. There will be a volleyball game pitting the Senior Girls against the Mothers.

## Open house at two locations planned

There will be two open houses in Carrizozo on Sunday April 3. The Lincoln County Sheriff's Department will be open for visitors from 2-5 p.m. Sheriff Bill Elliott hopes everyone will come by to see the remodeling and other improvements. Refreshments will be served.

The Carrizozo Health Center will also have an open house on that date, Manager Betty Howell says. Guests will be shown the new x-ray department as well as other things of interest. The openhouse will be from 2 to 5 p.m. and refreshments will be served.

## Gospel singing here

The Rio Grande Semi-Annual Gospel Singing Convention will be held in the Assembly of God Church in Carrizozo starting at 6 p.m. on March 26. It will continue all day Sunday and there will be a basket lunch that day.

Everyone is invited to attend. There is no charge and special songs will be invited.

Henry Vega



Modeling spring fashions at the Carrizozo Womens Club lunch are (from the left) Vicki Means in a bright leisure outfit, Bobby LaMay wearing a lovely lace trimmed blue formal and Norma Banning in a handkerchief hem tunic-over pants. The clothes were from the Squasr Blossom in Alamogordo.



Peggy Najar, Irene Hayes and Eileen Serna showed members and guests spring fashions at the "Fashions and Flowers" luncheon of the Carrizozo Womens Club, Thursday.



Add to the spring fashion and plant exchange lunch of the Carrizozo Womens Club was the music of the Lincoln County Express, a professional group now appearing in Ruidoso. Elliott Topper, Linda Carr and Randy Chapman gave Carrizozo School students a performance following their show at the lunch.

## Corona

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barrett moved Monday from Lincoln Station to Laguna Station EPNG.

Mrs. Kenneth Rainsey was taken to an Albuquerque hospital following a heart attack one day last week.

Mrs. Raymond Graves, Roswell is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Elbert Owen and Mr. Owen. Mrs. Owen was severely burned with hot coffee in an accident in the store Friday.

Rex Reid has arrived from Plains, Texas to replace Wendell Wills at Lincoln Station. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Reid and their two children to the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Owen and Elbert Owen were in Roswell Saturday to attend funeral services for Elbert's brother-in-law, Virail Phillips, who passed away after a long illness.

Rex Robinson, Grants, had two winners in the science fair held last week in Albuquerque. They will be competing in the International Science Fair to be held in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip J. Anderson, formerly of Redding, California, have arrived in Corona where they have bought a home. The Andersons are parents of Mrs. George James. We welcome you.

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## Red Cross service stressed

March is American Red Cross Week. Mrs. Truman Spencer, Jr. says and suggests that this is a good time for the people in Lincoln County to be reminded of Red Cross services.

Ask almost anyone what a disaster is and he will tell you it is a flood, tornado, a hurricane, transportation wreck, or fire. There are about 500 such disasters a year in the United States involving five or more families. Yet in addition to the catastrophes that make the headlines there are disasters of a wholly different kind. These are the small, local disaster-type emergencies, principally fires, that occur on an average of 18,000 times a year.

Ask a victim of one of these local emergencies what a disaster is and he can tell you clearly enough. He may be standing wrapped in a blanket, watching all his possessions, including his glasses and his necessary medicines, go up in flames. To him, what he faces is as much as disaster as the havoc wrought by a sweeping hurricane.

American Red Cross Disaster Services comes quickly to the aid of victims of disaster situations, whether large-scale or local.

The aid is an out-right gift, not a loan, and no repayment is expected. It is a gift from the American people through the Red Cross to those in distress.

In carrying out its chapter responsibility to provide recovery assistance to disaster victims, the Red Cross responds to emergency calls for help once every 30 minutes, every day of the year.

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## Lincoln County "Old Timers" Get To-Gether

Folks in Lincoln County who would like to come to a "get-together" with Lincoln County folks who live now in Alamogordo and nearby towns are invited to join us - March 28th - at 8 p.m. at the Tularosa Lion's Hut. All Timers will make the music—and its great to get-together for an old time rap.

"Come On" "104"  
Bonito Lou  
alias Louise Runnels

## Golfers warned

Message to golfers, fishers!

Monday morning we had to rake out a lot of tee markers and some steel bolts with sharp points from the lake at Carrizozo Recreation Center.

From time to time we have to recover drink cans, paper wrappers and other junk.

Disposing of anything in the lakes at the Recreation Area is strictly prohibited and we ask people making use of this facility to take better care of their property.

Violations will be prosecuted when person is caught throwing things in the lake.

Henry Vega

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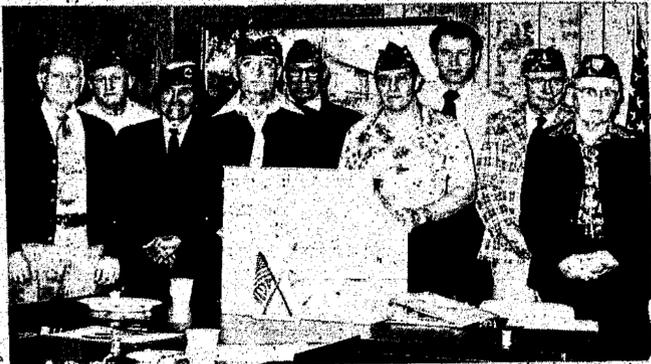
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Jack and Carrie Magee

## FAMILY PHARMACY

410 12th Street - Carrizozo

648-2508



Benjamin I Berry Post II of the American Legion celebrated the Legion birthday with a pot luck supper. Some of the members and their guests were "from the left) Fred English, Bob

Means, Louis Gomez (District Sgt. at Arms) Roy Harman, Ralph Vigil (Dist. Pres.) Mayor Bobby Dan Crenshaw, Victor Cisneros (Post Adjutant) Bill Hayes and Robin Byrd.



Pretty Lisa Crenshaw provided music for the Carrizozo Legion and Auxiliary birthday dinner and awards night.



Mayor Bobby Dan Crenshaw was guest speaker and Lisa Crenshaw presented several musical selections on the accordion.

District No. 5 Commander Ralph Vigil was here to present the awards also District No. 5 Sargent of Arms Luis Gomez attended. The dinner consisted of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings; 27 members were present.

## Vandals cause bat deaths

The mysterious death of half of the resident bat population of Fort Stanton Cave near Capitan, New Mexico has been attributed to the work of vandals who entered the cave between February 28 and March 9.

An investigation concluded last week by the Bureau of Land Management and the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Agency showed that the bats did not die of disease as first suspected, but rather were knocked from walls and ceilings in the cave and smashed by unauthorized visitors to the cave.

The investigation found that the lock on the cave gate was missing during the 10 day period. Normally, Fort Stanton Cave and other caves on public land managed by BLM are locked and entry is by permit only. Initially, the BLM thought the 355 Townsend big-eared bats had died from rabies or other disease. BLM closed four caves to further visitation pending laboratory study of the dead bats.

The bats hibernate in the caves during the winter and are easy prey to vandals. There were about 650 bats known to use Fort Stanton Cave.

BLM District Manager James O'Connor has reopened Fort Stanton, Blue Tick and Agozino caves to visitors, however permits are required.

The BLM requires permits as one means of controlling visitor use into the fragile cave environment. New Mexicans who wish to "adopt" a wild horse may now apply directly to the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Carson City District, Carson City, Nevada.

Under normal "adopt-a-horse" procedures, applications are sent to the BLM's Washington, D.C. headquarters for screening and placing in a computer for selection. This system is not working well for animals being rounded up on the Carson City District. Since December 1976, the BLM has sent 108 letters to persons around the nation whose names are listed by the computer as qualified. Only 17 have replied to those letters and seven horses were placed as a result.

All of the wild horses in the Carson City District's holding corral have been placed, however, an additional 75 animals will be rounded up in the near future.

Individuals who would like to adopt one of those animals and who feel they



By Mary Rich

Carrizozo is looking like a new town. The folks who decided to build a new bank building here really started something. Since the paving people were already in town, the school decided to go ahead and pave around the new gym.

Willie Silva who had been talking about it for quite a while, decided to black top his parking area. Bob and Margaret Stearns took advantage of the equipment and are topping around their new building.

The courthouse, face lift is something wonderful. The cracks have been sealed and the new soft brown color is pleasant to behold. Since I look at it most hours of the day, I can attest to its lasting quality. Sure beats the old cracked white surface. (Old is not necessarily better) The county is also doing some topping in the rear of the building and we are all excited about the landscaping that is in process.

The improvements started with a cleanup campaign about four years ago.

Not everything that was in the Chamber of Commerce master plan came to pass. We feuded and fussed over zoning and mobile home ordinances. We debated over fix up or tear down methods.

About like everything else in life, there were no hard and fast rules but with accommodation and reason quite a bit has been accomplished.

Some unrestorable buildings have been condemned and some have been torn down. Quite a few of the oldies have been repaired. Drive around and see how enterprising citizens have turned ancient adobe wrecks into attractive homes.

Santa Fe and Tularosa are outstanding examples of the charm and dignity of restoration. However, the economics of restoration are not always positive. I have done a bit of that in my time.

Let's see, take an old \$10,000 adobe house; spend \$40,000 on remodeling and you have about a \$40,000 house. But money isn't everything and there are others ways to do it. If you do-it-yourself you can actually make a profit on restoration. The do-it-yourself part means patience and love applied in heavy coats.

When we did our 98 year old adobe, without any power available, every board had to be almost hand carved. I decided there was no such thing as a square in 1880. Each window and door was a different size.

Let us hope that the improving is catching and we have a big summer epidemic.

W-W

Orris Smith will be missed in Lincoln County. He was an unusual kind man in his sense of independence and in appearance.

He ranched all by himself for many years when it was lonely hard work. After he sold his ranch he moved to the

outskirts of Capitan and became real friendly with the town folks. I have never heard anyone fault him. He made his own life and helped out quite a few people who weren't as able as he. He leaves an empty place.

W-W

What would you think about filling 'WHOM' in the archives. I picked up a paperback adventure and the blurb on the back in inch high yellow type read "WHOM WOULD YOU TRUST? Claire, a ravishing creature who promised Michael sex with no strings?"

Grammatically speaking somewhat archaic one can come up with the "whom". But it is stretching a bit far and on a paperback that sports the above incomplete sentence, the stretch doesn't reach.

Would you trust someone who wrote that copy on a paperback? We know everyone has to eat and there are worse professions than writing blurbs for adventure novels. Publishers want to sell the books and that sex and blood seem to sell.

If it takes a bit of deception on the cover to sell the book then it is hard to blame the person who writes it.

"What did he really want? Was there evil behind the flame cloaked girl's encounter in that dark forest?"

You buy the book for a long winter night reading and there inside is "Once upon a time there was a little girl who wore a red cloak with a red hood and everyone called her Little Red Ridinghood."

The whole thing would be frustrating for a writer. If the writer was a former English teacher in a private girl's school a "whom" might escape at the wrong moment. Most likely the whole thing was a typographical error. Who knows anything about using "whom". There is little chance that a typesetter would stumble across a 'whom' and change it to a 'who'. For that matter a lot of editors assume if a writer has the audacity to use a "whom" he know about what he is speaking.

In the past a letter was written "To whom it may concern" and few ladies haughtily answered "to whom are you speaking."

But dear publishers, really, "whom would you trust" on a sexy adventure? It would be like saying "Who done it to whom". After Mickey Spillane made it into "Who's Who", the academic world decided to go along with the rest of the English speaking world.

The new Webster says "I serve who I like and in my day that would get you a big black mark in English. The 'Whom' of 'Who was meant to be used objectively as in the 'me' of 'I'. But I'll bet you a nickel that the paper back blurb writer who inspired this piece of WW will forget to be unobjective when she knocks on the pearly gate and St. Peter calls down, "Who's there?" I'll just bet she answers, "It's me, it's me, Oh Lord!" Instead of asking, "To whom am I speaking?"

It is not often Lincoln County buys a beautiful Huber as pictured in the News recently, for \$15,000. That really is a bargain, however, the purchase price was \$53,000 in case anyone thinks Huber is offering special prices. Just an "oops" on our part.

## Letters

Capitan, N.M. 88316  
March 21, 1977

Margaret Rench:

You sure try hard to keep your column alive in Lincoln County News. Many people talk to me about your column and always read it. The people in Capitan get to know one another through your effort for a work well done.

We as people in Capitan, New Mexico get behind her to see that we get in Lincoln County News.

Keep up the good work Capitan grows as News comes into this paper. Sometimes there is not so much news but let us keep alive from time to time. We do like the way you put your heart and soul into it.

Sincerely,  
Johnny Wolfe

Dear Editor:

As you know, welfare reform is a top priority of the new Administration. The Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, Joseph A. Califano, Jr., is calling for an all-out HEW effort to ask the general public how welfare reform should be achieved.

Public comment will be particularly important since it will be analyzed before the Secretary makes his welfare reform recommendations to the President in May.

"Welfare reform" covers two different types of aid. Social insurance is one, and it includes Social Security, veterans' compensation, Medicare, unemployment benefits, workmen's compensation, and others. Income assistance, the second, includes Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Supplemental Security income, food stamps, housing assistance, general assistance, and pensions for veterans. Social services, such as Head Start, falls under the second category.

Social insurance benefits are often contingent on prior employment, whereas the primary determinant for income assistance is financial need.

Welfare programs have often been controversial; each program raises its own issues and concerns. We hope the public will feel free to address each program separately or as a whole, depending on how they view the subject, and that they will feel free to raise any issue or make any recommendation they feel necessary to improve our nation's welfare programs.

Our efforts in HEW's Southwest region are to get comments on welfare reform which reflect regional thinking. Similar activities are going on across the country. In our region, we are asking for letters or other written comments. Those writing should address their envelopes to: Mr. Dan Reed, Office of the Regional Director, HEW, 1200 Main Tower, Dallas, Texas 75202. Comments will be made available for public inspection.

Sincerely,  
S.H. Clarke  
Regional Director  
Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Richard Thorp  
Department of Applied Sciences  
Eastern New Mexico University  
Roswell, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Payton:

I would like to take this time to thank you for the assistance you gave our university last year for our Billy The Kid Trailride. We are planning another ride similar to last years and would appreciate it if you could help us again by informing the public about it.

Please find inclosed a pamphlet concerning the ride. Last years ride was so successful that this summer we are going to have two. Dates will be June 19-25 and again July 11-16.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Richard Thorp

## Bridge job nears finish

The New Mexico State Highway Department's construction project on the bridge over the Rio Grande on U.S. 380 east of San Antonio in Socorro County is about 90 percent completed according to District I Highway Commissioner Paul Rader. A.S. Horner, Inc. is the contractor on the bridge job. The contract for the \$950,000 project was let in June 1976.

The contract provided for the removal of an existing timber bridge and the widening and extension of the existing steel bridge on the two lane road along with the necessary roadwork on the approaches to the improved bridge structure.

Completion of the bridge project and associated construction work is targeted for late this Spring. The project supervisor for the state road agency is Ralph B. Gonzales. Gaylen Wilson is project superintendent for the contractor. The project is part of the highway department's program to improve bridges throughout the state.

## Friendship class meets

The March meeting of the Friendship Class of the Baptist Church was a surprise birthday party honoring Catherine Eaker. The event, held on 15 of March, was in the home of Mrs. Helen Lock. Those present to wish Catherine well on her birthday were: Mrs. Joan Means, Mrs. Margaret McKinley, Mrs. Virginia Curtiss, Mrs. Nancy Miller, Mrs. Vickie Means, Mrs. Mary Jeter, Mrs. Eunice McBride, Mrs. Madelle McDaniel, Mrs. Sally Florian, Mrs. Rachel West, Mrs. Dollie Ward, Mrs. T.J. Chisholm, Mrs. Emma Swift, Mrs. Emma Catherine Lawson, Mrs. Valda Watson, Mrs. Clara Snow, Mrs. Ruth and Mrs. Helen Lock.

## Cattle crowd meeting set

The sixty-third annual convention of New Mexico Cattle Growers Association, will be held in Albuquerque, March 27-29, at the Four Seasons Motor Inn.

Albert J. Mitchell, president, said "The program includes many subjects relating to cattle production, feeding, and merchandising, as well as to the overall agriculture industry in New Mexico. We anticipate attendance of approximately 1,100 ranchers and their families".

Guest speakers are U.S. Senator Harrison "Jack" Schmitt; T.J. Barlow, chairman of the board of Anderson Clayton Co., Houston, Texas; Dr. L.S. "Bill" Pope, Dean of Agriculture & Home Economics, NMSU; and Richard A. McDougal, first vice president of American National Cattlemen's Association.

First Vice President E. Phil Harvey, Carrizozo, will give a report on the legislation that was considered during the recent session of the State Legislature.

## Bank helps boys

Employees of the American Bank of Commerce raised over \$1,000 in cash for New Mexico's Boy's Ranch located near Belen, New Mexico, by holding a special St. Patrick's Day pot luck lunch in the Bank's Chaparral Room located in the main office at 200 Lomas N.W. Over 250 people attended the fund raising event with all of the employees at the bank donating food and their services so all the proceeds could go to the Boy's Ranch fund.

The program was headed up by Bill Hunter, Senior Vice President of ABC, and was a highly successful event because of the hard work and planning done by those who participated. Mr. Mike Kull, Director of the Boy's Ranch, and his wife, Niki, were honored guests at the event. All of the Bank's employees were dressed out in traditional green and decorated the Chaparral Room with giant size shamrocks and baskets.

# The Citizens State Bank welcomes Dale LaMay to its Board of Counselors

Dale and his wife Maxine have made their home and business headquarters in Carrizozo for the last ten years. The young couple sold a business in Capitan and moved back to Carrizozo to go into the oil and gas distributing business.

The ten years have been fruitful and LaMay Distributing Company owns service stations in Tularosa, Alamogordo and Carrizozo in addition to serving as the Phillips distributor in this area.

The LaMay family has ranched in Lincoln County since 1883 and Maxine's family, the Max Kings, manage the famous O Bar O ranch east of Carrizozo.

Dale and Maxine have three children in school, Kim, 8; David, 10; and Billy, 13.



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# New hunting rules made

Deer hunters will have to choose their weapons this fall under a regulation passed by the State Game Commission.

According to Walt Snyder, Chief of Game Management, the new big game regulations require a deer hunter to stratify his license at the time of purchase for one of the three November deer hunt periods: D-1, 2 and 3. At the same time, he will be required to select the weapon of his choice, either bow, muzzleloading rifle or modern firearm. In the past hunters have been able to use one or all of these weapons during established deer seasons. The hunter must hunt only with the weapon selected during the hunt period recorded on his license. Those hunters who pick a bow or muzzleloader can also hunt during the special season established for these weapons. Snyder said that qualified hunters may apply for special entry permit deer hunts, but if successful in the drawing, must use the weapon selected when the license was purchased. The weapon restriction only applies on dates and in areas open to any kind of deer hunting.

Deer bag limits will be bucks with spikes at least two inches long in the southern half of the state, a forked and antlered buck in the northern.

Seasons on elk, antelope, turkey, bear, cougar, bighorn sheep, Barbary sheep, javelina, gembok and ibex were also established with no major changes from previous years.

Elk season in most of the state was divided again this year into six rifle hunts. Three later hunts were moved up on the calendar so as to start the day after deer season ends and to include the Thanksgiving holiday. Two areas were set aside for early bow-only elk hunts.

The Commission adopted a simplified game management unit map that will be part of the hunting proclamation, dividing the state into 58 units. Hunters will be able to find season dates and bag limits for any particular big game species, then tell at a glance which areas are open by referring to the map by unit number. The hunting proclamation including the unit map, season dates, most bag limits, application deadlines, etc. will be included in one large fold-out sheet according to Snyder. The only bag limits not included would be for the few areas which may be set aside for either

sex antelope hunts after the summer population surveys have been run.

The coding for the various seasons has also been changed to indicate the species involved. The deer season is divided into hunt periods D-1, Nov. 5-6; D-2, Nov. 9-13; D-3, Nov. 16-22. Elk seasons are designated by the letter E, antelope by A, Barbary sheep by B, Rocky Mountain and desert sheep by S, etc.

The proclamation is scheduled to be printed and distributed to Game and Fish Department offices and license vendors by April 1, start of the new license year. Some details of the coming seasons:

**Application deadlines and eligibility:**  
Application deadlines are July 27 for antelope and bighorn sheep; Sept. 14 for bow elk hunts; Sept. 21 for rifle elk hunts; Oct. 5 for Barbary sheep, javelina, oryx, ibex and deer entry permit areas C-1 (Manzano Mountains), C-2 (Oscuro Range), C-3 (San Andres-Organ), and C-4 (McGregor Range).

All elk hunters must meet the application deadlines whether the hunt is planned for private or public land.

Except for elk and antelope bowhunters, no one may apply for an elk, antelope, Barbary sheep or javelina license who held one for that species during the 1976-77 license year, and no one may apply for deer entry permits who held one during the 1976-77 license year. Bighorn sheep, oryx and ibex licenses can be held only once in a lifetime in New Mexico.

### DEER

D-1, Nov. 5-6; D-2, Nov. 9-13; D-3, Nov. 16-22; most of the state: bag limit, one antlered (spike) buck in the south, fork-antlered buck in the north. Licenses will be validated for a particular hunt period at time of purchase; validations can be changed by Game and Fish department personnel up until the beginning of the hunt date for which the license is validated. License vendors cannot change validations.

**Bowhunts:** Sept. 10-25, most of state; Oct. 26-Dec. 25, Sugarite Watershed; Dec. 17-Jan. 8, White Mountains; Dec. 17-Jan. 22, Sandias. One deer of either sex.

**Muzzleloader hunts:** Sept. 17-25 in designated areas, including Angel Peak south of Blanco; Mount Taylor; the east side of the Black Range; the southern Sacramento; White's Peak; the Sargate Watershed and private ranches in the Cimarron area. Bag limit is a fork-antlered buck in the northern areas, a spike buck in the Black Range and one deer of either sex in the Sacramento.

**Entry Permit Hunts:** Manzanos: 800 permits, dates coincide with general deer seasons; spike buck, Oscuras: 500 permits, Oct. 29-30, either sex; San Andres-Organ: 1,500 permits, Nov. 26-27, either-sex; McGregor: 800 permits, Nov. 5-6, Nov. 12-13 and Nov. 19-20, spike buck.

**Choice of weapon:** At the time a license is purchased deer hunters must select and be restricted to the type of weapon they will use - either a modern firearm, bow or muzzleloading rifle. Any changes in weapons can be done the same way as the hunt periods.

**BARBARY SHEEP**  
Jan. 14-22, 1978, all areas, B-1, north Canadian, 100 licenses, half public; B-2, south Canadian, 50 licenses, half public; B-3, Largo Canyon, 25 licenses, all public; B-4, Guadalupe Mountains, 30 licenses, all public. Sheep with horns at least 15 inches long in areas B-1, 2 and 3. Any one sheep in B-4.

**BIGHORN SHEEP**  
Rocky Mountain: Pecos Area S-1, Sept. 10-18; 20 resident, four nonresident licenses. Desert: San Andres S-2, Oct. 1-9, five resident, one nonresident licenses. Three-quarter curl ram.

**JAVELINA**  
Southwestern area: Dec. 3-11, 300 licenses. Either-sex.

**IBEX**  
Florida Mountains: Jan. 14-29, 10 resident and two nonresident licenses; one male with horns at least 15 inches long.

**ORYX**  
White Sands Missile Range: Dec. 17-20, 10 resident and two nonresident licenses. Any one oryx.



## The Grizzly

By Lisa Ferguson

The Grizzly baseball team played its first game last Friday against Socorro.

The game was a double header and even though Socorro won, our boys showed that future games will bring victories.

The score of the first game was 23-4 in Socorro's favor, the score of the second game was 7-4, again Socorro winning. The boys are busy practicing for their next game.

The FFA judging teams went to Gasden last weekend. We won first in homesite, second in land, second in poultry, third in horses and fifth in dairy.

Next Saturday the judging teams go to Hatch to judge meats, wool and livestock.

The girls track team will go to Estancia Thursday for a practice track meet. Other teams will also be competing.

Cinders have been put on the track in preparation for the Grizzly Relays which will be held in late April.

### Carrizozo Lunch Menu

**MARCH 24**  
Macaroni & cheese, green beans, pears, hot rolls & butter and Milk.

**MARCH 25**  
Fresh Roast Beef, gravy, sweet potatoes, fruit cocktail, hot rolls & butter and Milk.

**MARCH 26**  
Sloppy Joes, peas, apricots and Milk.

**MARCH 29**  
Beans, vegetable salad, applesauce, hot rolls & butter and Milk.

**MARCH 30**  
Turkey Roll, chicken soup, fruit and Milk.

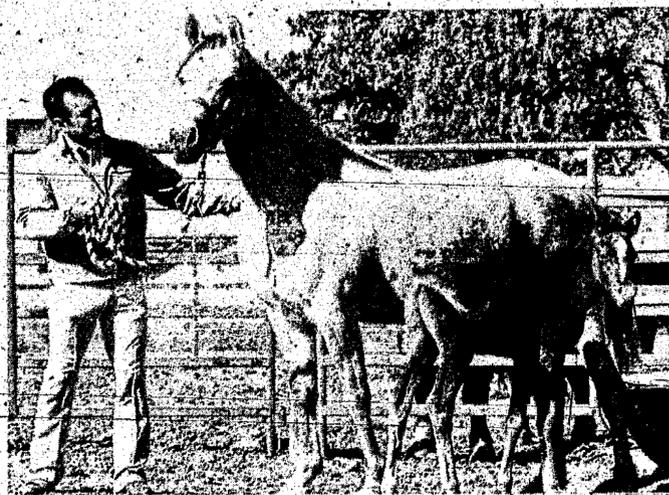
**MARCH 31**  
Salisbury Steak, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, pineapple, rolls & butter and Milk.

### Cardinal Capers

By Kathy Garfield

The Corona Girl's track team went to Belen for a track meet on March 19, 1977. They didn't place, but gained valuable experience. They hope to improve throughout the track season.

The results of the FFA judging contest in Belen are as follows:  
Teams:  
3rd in Livestock - Hope McDaniel, Lon Holleyman, Jackie Merritt and Roby McDaniel)  
3rd in Wool - Tawnya Alford, Cully Nalda, Scott Nalda, Roby McDaniel)



**STAR IS BORN** - Al Cirelli, assistant professor at New Mexico State University in charge of the horse program, congratulates Aegian Freak, the proud mother of the first purebred Arabian foal born at NMSU. Eleven additional mares, donated to the school by Robert O. Anderson are expected to foal this spring.

5th in Poultry - Lance Brown, Dale McDaniel and Ken Gibbs)  
8th in Horses - Tawnya Alford, Scott Nalda and Cully Nalda)

**Individuals:**  
Scott Nalda - 3rd high individual in wool.

Jackie Merritt - 4th high individual in livestock.

Lance Brown - 5th high individual in Poultry.

The Corona FFA judging team will travel to Las Cruces, New Mexico on March 30, 31st, April 1st and 2nd to the State Judging Contest.

Xi Beta Epsilon met on Monday the 14th of March in the home of June Tyree for a birthday party for Pallie Dishman, the sorority Woman of the Year. Present were Jean Sultemeier, Geraldine Perkins, Kathy Williams, Betty Donohue, Sandra Alford, Marie Owens, Eva Mae Holleyman and Pallie Dishman.

It was decided to use May Day as the theme for Founder's Day. Favours will be little baskets of plants and flowers and the centerpiece will feature a maypole with rainbow colored streamers.

For the program, Betty Donohue showed her slides of Ireland and a St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in refreshments and decorations. A birthday cake for Pallie Dishman decorated with leprechauns was served with lime punch, nuts, and mints.

The third annual Athletic Awards Banquet will be held at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, March 26 in the old gym.



Left to right are Rosalie Dunlap, Aileen Lindamood, John Meigs and Clara Snow who attended the Lincoln County Historical Society meeting last week.

## Mrs. Henn heads historical society

The Lincoln County Historical Society met in the Fair Building at Capitan March 16th at 7:00 P.M.

John Meigs, guest speaker at the Lincoln County Historical Society outlined some ideas for the development of Lincoln. He stressed the need to preserve the atmosphere of Lincoln and prevent it from becoming too commercialized. He said that the Lincoln County Historic Trust plans to restore the Montano Building and have it open this summer. He expressed the hope that a research center on the Lincoln County area could be located in the town. With everyone working together he felt that Lincoln could retain the atmosphere of 100 years ago.

Following the program the business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Albert Snow, Vice-President of the Society. In an election of officers Mrs. Walter Henn of Lincoln and El Paso was named President; Ralph Dunlap of Lincoln and Carrizozo was named Vice-

President; Mrs. Ralph Dunlap of Lincoln and Carrizozo was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Annual dues were collected from the large crowd attending. It's interesting to note that the members come from Lincoln Counties and former ones. The members come from Ruidoso, Alto, Capitan, Carrizozo, Alomogordo and Lincoln.

The date of the next meeting is June 4th, 6:00 p.m. at the ranch home of Mrs. Edgar Phillips near Lincoln. It will be a pot luck supper.



Rosalie Dunlap show how spinning and weaving become art forms. She was teaching a mini course at the Hondo School.

## Hondo has wool class

Students in the Hondo School were introduced to spinning and weaving along with Indian rugs in the cultural awareness program under the direction of Tom Nunez. The instructions for the week included Indian Weaving - methods and history, different methods of spinning and introduction to weaving.

The steps in the evolution were shown to the group starting from the hand twisting fibers then to the drop spindle and finishing with the spinning wheel. The students tried their hand at carding and spinning wool and found it took lots of practice to spin wool into yarn.

Each student made a hand woven article usually a hat band during the class. They used a blunt needle for the weaving process. The course was taught by Rosalie and Ralph Dunlap.

### Tiger Talk

by Becky Renfro

The Junior Class is presenting a play "Accidental Hero". The play is about a bunch of kids putting on a play with one very questionable scene. It is a very funny comedy and the characters can easily get carried away with their parts. The list of characters are:

John - Robbie Richardson; Kitty Snell - Clarisse Fredekind; Miss Smith - Coach - Debbie Dalton; Peggy - Betsy Eldridge; Marilyn - Lilly Montes; Jerry - Richard Purcella; Jim - Rocky Willingham; Gertrude - Mary Ann Gutierrez; Jean - Darlene Herrera; Bob - Ronnie Montes; Harold - Tim Proctor; Eugene - Arlin Talbot; Mr. Wheat - David Hightower; Mr. Snell - Adam Aldaz; Mrs. Gabb - PTA - Mona Griego; Mrs. Johnson - PTA; Megan Lamay; Mrs. Whit - PTA - Shirley Taylor; Movers - Jonesy - Mona Griego; Smithy - Jenny Blakely; Helen - Reba Hardy; Mr. Change - Andy Coleman.

Everyone be sure and attend for a super fun evening. The play will be presented on March 25, 1977, at 8:00 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the door. The price is \$1.50 for Adults, .75c for students and children.

The Senior Class will raffle off a Bolo-Tie during the play. Tickets can be purchased from any senior at the play for \$1.00 a chance.

The last day to purchase an Annual for \$8.00 will be on April 1, 1977. Purchase yours now because there might be a price increase after April 1st. They can be purchased from Bert, Shirley, Reba, Rocky, or Mr. Edwards.

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1. More geniuses are born in the spring than any other season. True. A biometeorologist, William Peterson, found that more geniuses were born in the spring months.

2. People are generally less nervous and irritable in the spring. False. Most

people are restless - and moody in the spring.

3. Children born in the spring average higher IQ's in the spring. False. Most children born in the summer average higher IQ's.

4. The Crime rate is higher in the spring. True. Statistics show that spring brings with it the highest of crimes.

5. Your chance of getting sick is higher in the spring. False. There is more sickness in the winter.

6. The suicide rate is lower in the spring. False. All nations report that the rate is higher in spring.

7. For Accuracy in work, it tends to increase during spring. False. Most people tend to lose accuracy.

8. Romance is more prevalent in spring. True.

9. Children grow more in the spring. True.

### A CUPFUL OF TALK

ABOUT THE ADULT RECREATION PROGRAM!

In the April newsletter called Center Capers, from Ruidoso, N.M.

P.O. Drawer 1840, the following things will happen, since the Center no longer gets Federal funds - there is a \$5.00 Membership fee. If you are interested call Charlotte C. Jarratt, Director; 257-7254. The schedule is full of goodies and things to do - the ages are 18 and up - Give them a ring.

Robbie's Box

### DO YOU KNOW?

1. Do you know that charming little lady in Capitan - who can make men's clothes as well as ladies.

2. Do you know the two Capitan gals who had their lunch served in the beauty parlor?

3. The attractive girl in the Grocery Basket who rides horseback every chance she gets?

4. The new Avon Lady - in Carrizozo - who does a great job.

5. What happened to the Weight Watchers?

### A PINCH OF HUMOR!

I like the receptionist at a Minneapolis marriage counseling

center who answered the telephone with a perky "Domestic Peace Corps." When you're in deep water, it's a good idea to keep your mouth shut.

### A SPOONFUL OF MEDICINE!

Surgeons are using staplers to close incisions instead of suturing with needle and gut. Last year, more than 300,000 Americans were stapled in surgery, and most medical schools are now teaching the technique.

### A BIT OF A

### BEAUTY RECIPE!

Try this! In a small saucepan over low heat, mix 1 tablespoon of tapioca and 1/2 cup of fresh orange juice. Stir in 2 tablespoons honey and let the pudding simmer till thickened, stirring occasionally. Remove from heat and cool. Spread the orange tapioca over your face and neck and let dry for 20 minutes. Rise.

### THIS IS A

### FUN RECIPE!

Drain a can of asparagus and save

juice (1 can). Place asparagus on ham then roll ham over and pin with tooth picks. Make a cheese sauce - Cook milk (1 cup) and asparagus juice, and cheese and double boiler until melted and pimientos, and when thick pour over ham rolls.

### Around the Bowl

Things are happening but, I haven't been able to visit much. U.P.W. met at Dot Burkstaller's. Army Armstrong is busy getting to know the people in Nogal, and we are happy to have him in the little church on the hill. It is really nice to see a light in the Cosper's house - Glad your home, Cospers!!

By now till next week  
Robbie

### Maxine Brown

Cedarvale, N.M.  
Now Associated with Capital Realty.  
Property listings wanted. Call Albuquerque, 281-3383.

## County Agent

A three-day Range Management Short Course will be in Capitan starting at 9:00 a.m. on April 6, 1977. The other two days will be April 13 and April 20. All of these sessions will be in the Lincoln County Fair Building in Capitan. The short course is planned to help the Forest Grazing Permittee to better understand the problems of managing U.S. Forest lands. It will give everyone involved a better picture of all the factors that have to be considered. There will be speakers from New Mexico State University, Soil Conservation Service, and Forest Service at the short course.

There are few, if any, jobs in which ability alone is sufficient. Needed also are loyalty, sincerity, enthusiasm, and cooperation.



# WIN UP TO \$1,000 BANK VAULT BINGO

Items and prices good thru March 26, 1977. We reserve the rights to limit quantities. None sold to dealers.

**NEW CASH PRIZES TOTALING \$190,727**

| GAME VALUE | NUMBER OF PRIZES | ODDS FOR ONE GAME PIECE | ODDS FOR 13 GAME PIECES | ODDS FOR 26 GAME PIECES |
|------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| \$1000     | 58               | 1 in 163,017            | 1 in 12,539             | 1 in 4,260              |
| \$500      | 132              | 1 in 145,468            | 1 in 11,189             | 1 in 3,394              |
| \$250      | 383              | 1 in 71,628             | 1 in 5,500              | 1 in 2,754              |
| \$100      | 765              | 1 in 24,667             | 1 in 1,899              | 1 in 949                |
| \$50       | 4,309            | 1 in 12,358             | 1 in 851                | 1 in 475                |
| \$25       | 8,742            | 1 in 2,194              | 1 in 169                | 1 in 84                 |
| \$10       | 25,238           | 1 in 1,402              | 1 in 108                | 1 in 54                 |
| \$5        | 57,692           | 1 in 375                | 1 in 29                 | 1 in 14                 |
| \$2.50     | 115,384          | 1 in 250                | 1 in 19                 | 1 in 10                 |

This Program is available at all Piggly Wiggly stores. Prizes are cash. No money is awarded. Schedule of prizes is in Program # 483. Prizes are awarded on a random basis. Prizes are awarded on a random basis. Prizes are awarded on a random basis. Prizes are awarded on a random basis.

Lean & Meaty Pork

## Spare Ribs

# \$1.08

Lb.

Fresh

## Ground Beef

# 78¢

Lb.

Piggly Wiggly

## Canned Pop

# 10 FOR \$1

12-oz. Cans

Piggly Wiggly Pure Vegetable

## Shortening

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3-Lb. Can

With This Coupon

### BEEF SPECIALS

Blade Cut Shoulder  
**Pork Steak** Lb. **98¢**

Glover's Chuck Wagon  
**Hot Links** Lb. **98¢**

Farmer Jones  
**Sliced Bologna** 12-oz. Pkg. **88¢**

Skinned & Deveined  
**Beef Liver** Lb. **68¢**

Lean Meaty Boneless  
**Stewing Beef** Lb. **\$1.18**

### SPECIAL TREATS

Farmer Jones  
**Sliced Bacon** Lb. Pkg. **\$1.28**

Farmer Jones  
**Frankfurters** 12-oz. Pkg. **78¢**

Piggly Wiggly American Singles  
**Sliced Cheese** 12-oz. Pkg. **\$1.09**

Piggly Wiggly Half Moon  
**Longhorn Cheese** 8-oz. Pkg. **89¢**

Assorted Chops, Family Pak  
**Pork Chops** Lb. **\$1.18**

### EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

Piggly Wiggly Choice  
**Fruit Cocktail** 2 16-oz. Cans **89¢**

Piggly Wiggly Choice Bartlett  
**Pear Halves** 2 16-oz. Cans **79¢**

Piggly Wiggly Stewed  
**Tomatoes** 3 16-oz. Cans **\$1**

Hormel Vienna  
**Sausages** 3 5-oz. Cans **\$1**

Whole Kernel  
**Niblet's Corn** 4 12-oz. Cans **\$1**

### EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

Piggly Wiggly  
**Cling Peaches** 28-oz. Can **49¢**

Assorted Flavors Betty Crocker  
**Snack Cakes** 15-oz. Box **69¢**

Larsen's  
**Veg-All** 3 15-oz. Cans **\$1**

Piggly Wiggly  
**Tomato Sauce** 3 15-oz. Cans **\$1**

Milnot  
**Canned Milk** 4 13-oz. Cans **\$1**

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California Choice Navel

## Oranges

# 4 \$1

Lbs.

Red, or Golden Washington Extra Fancy  
**Delicious Apples** Lb. **44¢**

3 Grades, East Texas  
**Rose Bushes** (AS MARKED)

Northrup-King Flower &  
**Garden Seeds** (AS MARKED)

Ripe  
**California Avocadoes** **4/\$1**

### Frozen Foods

All Varieties Frozen, Fox

**Deluxe Pizza** 13 1/2-oz. Pkg. **75¢**

All Varieties Pet Ritz, Frozen  
**Cream Pies** 14-oz. Pkg. **45¢**

Aunt Jemima Original, Frozen  
**Waffles** 10-oz. Size **75¢**

Morton's Frozen  
**Honey Buns** 9-oz. Pkg. **75¢**

### Fresh Dairy

Piggly Wiggly Regular Quarters

**Fresh Oleo** 3 1-lb. Pkgs. **\$1**

Price's  
**Fresh Yogurt** 3 8-oz. Ctns. **89¢**

Kraft's  
**Orange Juice** 1/2-Gal. Jar **\$1.39**

Kraft's Cheese Food  
**Velveeta** 2-lb. Box **\$2.09**

### VEGETABLE BOWL

THIS WEEK'S FEATURED ITEM

**\$2.00 off** WITH COUPON

JOHANN HAVLAND  
BAMARIA GERMANY

VALUABLE COUPON WORTH \$2.00 TOWARD THE PURCHASE OF THIS WEEK'S FEATURED ITEM

VEGETABLE BOWL

Our Reg. Discount Price ... \$8.99  
Coupon Savings ... 2.00  
Your Price (with coupon) **\$6.99**

In the pattern of your choice  
COUPON GOOD THRU 3/27/77

Piggly Wiggly All Varieties Except Tomato

## Canned Soups

# 5 \$1

10 1/2-oz. Cans

Saltine, Sunshine  
**Crackers** 1-lb. Box **49¢**

Piggly Wiggly  
**Liquid Bleach** Gal. Btl. **71¢**

Dry Dog Food  
**Gravy Train** 50-lb. Bag **\$8.99**

Flour  
**Gold Medal** 25-lb. Bag **\$2.99**

Benco  
**Pinto Beans** 2-lb. Bag **39¢**

Phone 648-2333

When Are Services You Need

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION

No Secret At All?

WHEN OVER 5,000 PEOPLE READ IT IN THE LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS

Looking for a housekeeper? Baby sitter? Someone to repair your lawn mower? Rely on our classifieds to service your needs! PH. 648-2333

YOU CAN HELP -- The News hopes to have a lot of news copy in the office Monday. By Tuesday noon we're loaded and some items that can be held over may wait a week. Please bring your copy in early, preferably Monday. Twp.

McCOY ELECTRIC, RUIDOSO. Phone 257-2110. After 7 P.M. 648-2573. Ed Guhré, owner. 14-4p

BUYING STERLING silver at \$25 lb; Old Gold; US & Foreign Stamps & Coins. 648-2593. 12-2tc

Learn to Square Dance Arrangements are now being made for series of lessons on square dancing. Minimum charge. If interested, call Gary Hightower at 648-2460, or see any member of the ZoZo Twirlers.

Furnished Apartment for rent. Three rooms, utilities paid. Mary Rich 648-2333 or 2555. 5-1fn

DO YOU LOVE PLANTS? -- Person wanted part-time to service established plant displays in Carrizozo. Transportation required. Reply P.O. Box 338, Tome, N.M. 87060. 12-1tc

EL RANCHO WELL DRILLING -- Domestic wells drilled and cleaned. Two miles east of Carrizozo on US330. Phone 648-2420 Albert Zamora. 1fn

Roto-Tiller Service

For Lawn or Garden Phone 648-9971 or 648-2850 Ask for Willie or Max Jr.

AVON CALLING - Looking for a real challenge? Become an Avon Representative in your own area. For more information write: Evelyn Ford Avon Mgr. 1106 S. Bonita-Roswell, N.M.

Harkey Real Estate

John Harkey Mary Rich, Jack Harkey CARRIZOZO, N.M. Phone 648-2383

(3) - 1974 - F100 Ford pickups 302-360 motors and (1) F250 Ford - 390 XLT with 12-950 tires - camper special. Gordon Racher on 54 - 648-2515. 1fn

HOMEWORK + Excellent immediate income in your spare time. Rush 25c and self addressed stamped envelope: Bestco, 3209 NW 75th Terrace, Dept. M57, Hollywood, Florida 33024. 14-4tc

HELP WANTED: MAPPER - Starting salary \$550. Experience and training required in preparing maps from survey descriptions; drafting techniques and methods. Apply at County Manager's Office. Carrizozo Courthouse. 12-1tc

HELP WANTED Jailer Dispatcher 1 - Starting salary \$450.00. Apply at County Manager's Office - Courthouse, Carrizozo. Application deadline March 25. 12-1tc

HELP WANTED - Deputy I - Salary \$800. Duties will entail parks patrol for 6 months temporary position. Apply at County Manager's Office. Courthouse - Carrizozo. Deadline April 1. 12-1tc

WANTED: General Nogal, Capitan, Lincoln area - sculptor wants to care take or rent ranch quarters. Remoteness O.K. Has been caretaker for New Hampshire governor ten years. Call 354-2254. 13-2p

FOR SALE: 1976 FORD 2 ton truck, white, V-8, stake bed, 2 ton hoist, head-ache rack, west coast mirrors, 4 speed transmission with 2 speed axle, mileage 14,586.2. Contact CAPITAN BUILDERS SUPPLY, INC. Ed Johnson, Box 357-Phone 354-2218, Capitan, N.M. 88316. 14-4tc

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FOR SALE: Couch & Chair, also, Antique Couch, gas heater, 45,000 BTU, Youth Bed, Icebox. Call 648-2360. 12-21p

Ambulance...

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She said that the collection rate was only 60 percent and that staffing the service 24 hours a day with four people for what amounted to an average of one call a day was taking funds away from the companies in Roswell and Las Cruces.

"We just cannot continue to operate at such a loss" she said "and the people in Ruidoso who stopped assisting the ambulance service will discover this."

She admitted that charges of the service in Ruidoso were the highest in the state. Ruidoso base costs within a 5 mile radius have been \$65 with an additional \$2 mile charge and 50 cents for deadhead miles.

She said the drivers' sheet in the Brecheisen trip show that the call came in at 7:48; the ambulance was at the scene at 7:45; arrived at the hospital at 7:50 which would be a total of twelve minutes. She said that the driver showed a trip of 4.9 miles rather than the 1 mile Mrs. Brecheisen reported.

She said that in Lincoln County, other than Ruidoso, the base charge is \$30 and in the other parts of the state her company charges the fees are \$30 and \$35.

She said her company did not accept Medicare assignments the money from Medicare would go to the patient and that the company had not been paid by anyone.

She said the company would sell the two ambulances as a package to the county for \$8500.

SS earnings report due

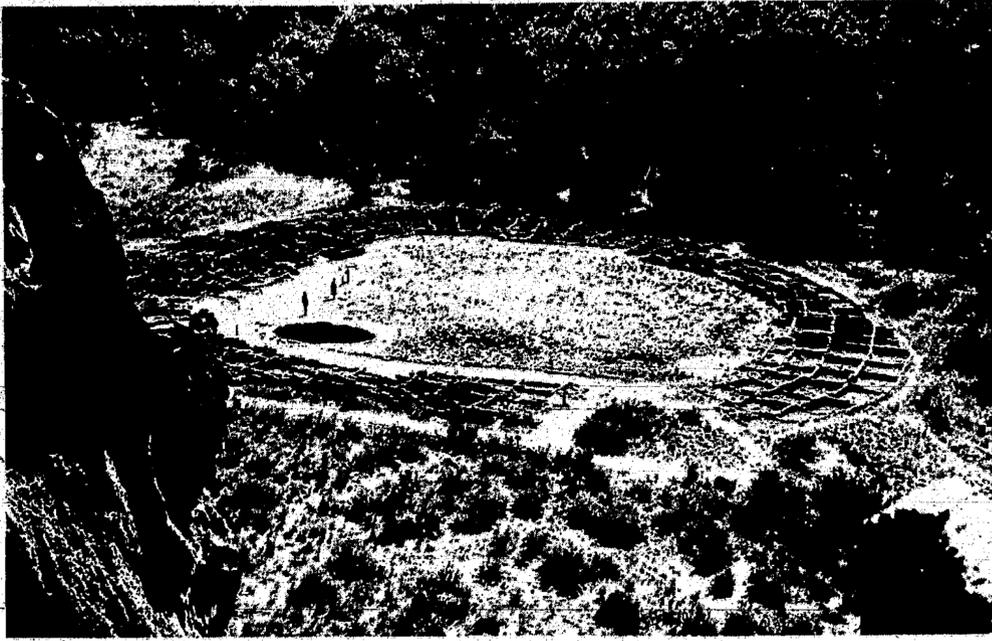
"People who earned over \$2,760 and received one or more monthly social security retirement, survivors, or dependent checks in 1976 must submit an annual report of their earnings to social security by April 15," Dan Mathis, social security field representative, explained today.

"This report shows how much was earned in wages and self-employment income last year, as well as how much beneficiaries expect to earn this year. Information on the report will be used to determine if people were paid the correct amount of benefits for 1976. Also, it will be used to adjust their monthly 1977 social security payments according to their estimated earnings."

"Full social security benefits could be paid to eligible people in 1976 if they earned \$2,760 or less for the year. But, no matter how much they earned for the year, they could be paid their full social security benefits for any month they earned \$230 or less and didn't do substantial work in their own business. The figures for 1977 are \$3,000 for the year and \$250 a month.

"People who file an annual report after April 15 may suffer a penalty. Those who were 72 or over in all months of 1976 do not need to file a report at all," Mathis said.

Mr. Mathis may be contacted at the County Commissioner's Room in the Courthouse in Carrizozo on Tuesday, April 19th, between the hours of 10-12.



NATIONAL PARK SERVICE U.S. Department of the Interior

TYUONYI RUIN, constructed by southwestern Indians between 1383 and 1465 is one of the largest pueblos in Bandelier National Monument.

Bandelier National Monument New Mexico

Bandelier includes wilderness areas

Add "wilderness" to the words used to describe Bandelier National Monument, that 48-square mile enclave of natural, historical & archeological charm in north central New Mexico.

County...

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the Forest Service, he said he strongly recommended that the request be met.

Straley suggested that the Bonito department meet with the county manager and representatives of the other fire departments to prepare a survey of necessary equipment. Olson was asked to present a budget for the additions.

The commission also approved a request of the Hondo Fire Department for the purchase of a 1000 gallon tanker fire truck.

Olson said Hondo had the funds saved to the purchase. Washington paper problems will cost the county about \$200 for the services of a licensing attorney. The county's application for radio license renewal was lost on some desk in the nation's capitol. An attorney who specializes in this kind of work will be hired to rush the renewal through the Washington paper world, Olson said.

The commission approved purchase of trash containers for the courthouse area. They will cost \$118 each. Lee Straley was appointed to represent the county on the New Mexico Association of Counties board.

There was discussion of the benefits derived from association membership which costs \$1460 a year. Straley said he would bring back an evaluation.

McCoy Electric Company of Ruidoso was given a service contract for the courthouse. The company will spend eight hours a month, at \$12.50 an hour maintaining wiring and equipment. The bid included \$8.50 an hour for a helper which Olson said would not be needed. He was instructed to have the service contract delete use of a helper.

Sudderth said that a conference with the state highway engineer has produced an agreement to allow the Village of Ruidoso to place a 750 foot high pressure water line under Gavilan Canyon Road. The state disallowed such a line previously but reconsidered at the county's request since there was no other place for the line. The village agreed to restore the base after laying the line. Sudderth said he had found a village crew putting a pumping station in the middle of the road and had seen that it was removed.

The highway department also agreed to have some used 18inch culverts put in the Lincoln County yard which the county will be allowed to purchase at \$1 a foot.

"Bill Dyroff, state civil defense administrator, asked to the county to cooperate in a "national survival" plan which has been prepared in the event there is nuclear warfare. He said that Lincoln County which was not marked as an attack point would be expected to handle 10,000 evacuees from Alamogordo.

The plan he showed presupposed a warning period of several days before such a war begins. He said that nation's leaders, it was hoped, would be able to warn that tensions were at such a point that an attack was probable.

The plan involves police action, shelter, food and transportation for the refugees.

Assured that no cost was involved except for the time of some employees, and in particular Olson, the designated civil defense agent, the commission agreed to participate in the planning.

A renewal of the ordinance granting a franchise to Community Public Service Company was passed. C.L. Brown of the Otero Electric Cooperative appeared to request that the franchise for the coop's operation in the county be changed to an ordinance.

The commission will hear the matter at the next meeting.

In late 1976, the President signed a bill giving wilderness status to 23,267 acres or about 79 percent of the monument.

The only parts of the monument excluded from wilderness are a strip along the Rio Grande, the developed area in Frijoles Canyon where the visitor center is located and a strip along New Mexico 4 containing the parks campgrounds.

The new designation will not substantially alter the visitor use of the monument since the area designated as wilderness has always been managed as such.

But it will ensure that Bandelier's backcountry will remain in its primeval condition for future generations of Americans to enjoy.

Bandelier was proclaimed a national monument in 1916 to preserve the ruins of pre-Pueblo Indian civilizations. And hikers into the wilderness can enjoy 60 miles of trails leading to such archeological and scenic features as Alamo Canyon, the Stone Lions Shrine, Painted Cave and the pueblo ruins of San Miguel and Yapashi.

For your safety, a free permit will be required of backcountry visitors.

Most of Bandelier's visitors--there were 283,000 in 1976--seldom venture into the rugged backcountry, preferring instead to remain in spectacular Frijoles Canyon--a deep gorge through which runs tiny Frijoles Creek.

The road into Frijoles Canyon where the visitor center and museum are

located and a fork that goes to a nearby campground, are the only strips of pavement in Bandelier. In easy walking distance of the visitor center is the 400-room Tuyouni Ruin, constructed between 1383 and 1466 and two miles of cliff ruins, cave rooms gouged out of the steep canyon wall which is composed of compressed volcanic ash.

And you don't have to go into the backcountry to enjoy the abundant wildlife in the park. Mule deer are often seen drinking at the creek near the visitor center and smaller mammals such as Abert squirrels are constant companions in the picnic area.

The monument, 46 miles west of Santa Fe, is reached from Santa Fe north on U. S. 285 to Pojoaque, then west on State Road 4. Approach may also be made through the Jemez country from Albuquerque.

If you are planning a vacation Right Around Home, write the National Park Service, P.O. Box 728, Room T-1, Santa Fe, N.M. 87501 for a trip planning guide to those parks within an easy drive of your home.

A psychology professor conducted an experiment to prove a point about work. He hired a man to hit a log with the reverse side of an ax. The man was told that he would be paid twice the amount he normally made. The fellow lasted half a day. He gave it up, explaining, "I have to see the chips fly."

Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

THE ESTATE OF ALVA E. LANE, Deceased, Plaintiff,

vs. GROUP II: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JULIAN P. HERRERA, DECEASED;

GROUP III: UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF;

Defendants. NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that THE ESTATE OF ALVA E. LANE, as Plaintiff has filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln

County, New Mexico, Civil Docket No. 00042, wherein you are named (or designated as defendants and wherein the said Plaintiff seeks to obtain constructive service of process upon you.

The general object of said action is the establishment of the estate of the Plaintiff in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause against the adverse claims of the defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, and that the defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title, or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the estate of the Plaintiff, and that the title of the Plaintiff thereto in fee simple be forever quieted and set at rest, said property being that certain land situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico, more particularly described as Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, Block 63, Original Townsite of Capitan, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your

appearance in the said case on or before the 28th day of April, 1977, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted.

The name and post office address of the attorney for the Plaintiff is as follows: Archie A. Witham, P.O. Box 546, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico on this 15th day of March, 1977.

-s- Margo Lindsay District Court Clerk First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, March 17, 1977. Last published April 7, 1977.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN NOTICE OF DUE DATE ON SECOND HALF 1976 TAXES

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that second half payment of 1976 taxes is due and payable April 1, 1977, and becomes delinquent May 1, 1977. All checks should be mailed to the Lincoln County Treasurer not later than April 30th, 1977, to avoid interest and penalty charges.

If there are any questions on second half payments, please call the Treasurer's office at 648-2823, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

Witness my hand this 21st day of March, 1977. Michael A. Kimbrell County Treasurer Lincoln County, NM First published in the Lincoln County News March 24, 1977. Last published March 31, 1977.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DELFIN ZAMORA,

DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed

Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative at P.O. Box 192, Carrizozo, New Mexico, or filed with the District Court. DATED: March 14, 1977.

-s- Arthur Zamora P.O. Box 192 Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301

-s- Bill G. Payne Drawer G. Payne Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301 ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

CITIZENS STATE

BANK, a New Mexico

Banking Corporation, Cause No. 00023 CV-77

PLAINTIFF,

vs. GENE MURFIN,

DEFENDENT;

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER FORECLOSURE DECREE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of the Default Judgment entered by the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 18th day of March, 1977, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 19th day of April, 1977, at the Northeast door of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the approval of the Court, the following described real estate situated in the Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, to-wit: Lot 7 and North 1/2 of Lot 8, Block 34, McDonald Addition in Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, together with all and singular the land, tenements, hereditaments, appurtenances and improvements thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits. Said above described property having had Plaintiff's lien foreclosed against it, the principal sum of which, together with costs of suit, attorney's fees, and accrued interest to date of sale, are as follows:

Principal amount of \$1,619.18; Accrued interest to date of sale of \$99.81; Attorney's fee of \$257.85; Abstractor's costs of \$52.00; Costs of this action of \$102.35; Ad Valorem taxes and Insurance of \$427.37.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT the following costs were, in addition to the above amounts, also awarded by the Court in said Default Judgment to be realized at said sale from said property:

Costs of sale, including Special Master's Fee of \$50.00, and the cost of publication thereof.

The terms of sale are that the purchaser must pay cash at the time the property is struck off to him, with the exception that the Plaintiff may bid the amount of its Judgment. DATED this 22nd day of March, 1977.

-s- Lois Roper Special Master

First published in Lincoln County News March 24, 1977. Last published April 14, 1977.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

LUIS ROMERO, PROBATE NO. 00003

aka LOUIS ROMERO

MONTOYA, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at P.O. Box 546, Carrizozo, NM 88301, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico. DATED: March 10, 1977

Virginia Montoya Barraza P.O. Box 546 Carrizozo, NM 88301

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# Cook of the Month

By Mary Ellen Payne  
Extension Home Economist

The large rambling house is pretty quiet now. It doesn't reverberate with the sounds of the eleven children of Paul and Ramona Ortiz. Young sons Jimmy is the only child at home. But, Ramona hasn't slaved down a bit. People in Carrizozo see her hurry around town doing the many activities she's involved in.

While we were visiting someone called and asked for a cake for two days later. She had to say, no, because of too many other commitments. A promise had been made to help with the Woman's Club Luncheon the next day. Baking and decorating cakes has an almost full time job for Ramona for 12 years. She says she got started baking birthday cakes when the older children were small. That would be over thirty years ago. The years of practice have certainly produced some beautiful results. She is completely self taught. When my Stephen was in the second grade he had this real "thing" about Smokey Bear. He had two of the stuffed variety, posters, coloring books, rulers and everything the forest service or a toy store could provide. So, I asked Ramona for a "Smokey Bear" birthday cake. What a magnificent cake it was! It looked so life like I expected. Any moment for it to say "Be a friend of Smokey, help prevent Forest Fires." He shared it with his class at school, but insisted we start cutting at the legs first and we left the head and famous yellow hat for days. Many people over the years have come to Ramona with just such strange requests for cakes that will thrill a child or please an adult. She has prepared special birthday cakes, wedding cakes and Rainbow installation cakes. All require the special touch she provides.

Ramona almost qualifies as a native. She moved to Carrizozo when she was four years old. When she was in her early teens she worked for Mrs. Juan Osorio. She says Mrs. Osorio was a really fine cook, particularly of Spanish food. Ramona watched her and started picking up many techniques she uses today. Ramona's duties for Mrs. Osorio included washing the dishes and some cooking, but also tending the goats Mrs. Osorio kept! Ramona also worked for Mrs. Ben Sanchez. Mrs. Sanchez cooked for events at the Country Club. Ramona waited on tables and helped in the kitchen. Mrs. Osorio lives at Ft. Baird now and Mrs. Sanchez lives in Carrizozo with her husband. This weekend Ramona, with a group of women of the St. Rita Parish, will be catering a meal at the Country Club. Things really don't change too much in Carrizozo. The faces are different but Ramona is still at the same stand.

When Paul and Ramona were starting their family they also started their first restaurant. It was in their garage on Aspen Street. Son Tony lives in the house now. Paul has had the present location of the "Coffee Cup" for years. He is retired from the Southern Pacific.

Ramona's immediate family includes her mother, Mrs. Isabelle Guiles who is a spry 87 years young. She helps to fill some of the empty space left by departing children. Most of Ramona's time is occupied by family duties and her community service to the Church and the Woman's Club. Yet she has time to bake hundreds of cakes a year, sew for herself and her family, help Paul and do a variety of handicrafts. Her life is a busy one.

Ramona is willing to share some of her special recipes with us. The Spanish Rice that is a family favorite was taught to her by Mrs. Ben Sanchez.

## SPANISH RICE

1/4 cup oil or lard (corn oil for low cholesterol; lard for more flavor)  
1 cup rice - raw  
1/2 cup chopped onion  
1/2 cup canned tomatoes (cut up)  
2 1/2 cups liquid, part water and part tomato juice is preferred  
Salt and Pepper

Have onions and tomatoes prepared. Fry raw rice in oil in heavy skillet. Fry until light brown stirring constantly. Add onion and stir for a minute. Add tomatoes, liquid, salt and

pepper to taste. Stir well. Bring to a boil. Cover. Reduce heat and simmer for 45 minutes or until liquid has evaporated. It should be fluffy and the grains separated when done.

Hot sweet green peas can be stirred in to the rice before serving if desired.

An egg batter that can be used for many things is essential to a good cook. Ramona used this one for Chile Rellenos, Torta de Huevos, Fried Okra and Fried Cauliflower.

She gives us some pointers on beating eggs; Make sure all utensils, bowls, spoons, beaters, etc. are clean and free of grease. Wash in hot, soapy water, rinse well and dry with a clean grease free towel or paper towel.

## To prepare the Egg Batter:

Separate the egg white from the yolk carefully. Whip egg white until stiff. Fold in the beaten egg yolks. Add flour gradually until it is the thickness of pancake batter. Salt the food to be dipped in the batter before dipping.

To use this batter for Chile Rellenos proceed as follows;

Blister the green chili evenly on all sides in the broiler or on an outdoor grill. Cover chili with wet towels for 10-15 minutes. Remove the skin, taking care not to break the meat of the chili. Leave stems on the chili. Make a slit in the side and take out some or all of the seeds. Veins may be left or removed according to taste.

Stuff with meat filling and cheese. Place on a cookie sheet with low edges or a jelly roll pan. Chill for several hours or over night.

Four batter on top of chilled chili. Lift gently with spatula and allow batter to turn underneath; Fry 1/4 to 1/2 inch of hot oil. Drain on paper towel. Replace oil as needed.

Six eggs will make batter for two dozen rellenos.

For stuffing the chili rellenos, tacos and meat enchiladas use this;

## MEAT FILLING

Use a heavy sauce pan or skillet with tight fitting lid. Put 1/2 inch water in bottom of pan. Add ground beef. Place on heat. Add chopped onions. Cook meat, mashing with a potato masher as it cooks. The meat should be very fine pieces. When the meat is cooked, drain any excess water off and add a few chopped tomatoes - canned or peeled fresh. Salt and pepper to taste. Add 1/2 teaspoon of comin seed if desired.

## TACOS

Place 1/2 inch oil, lard or shortening in heavy skillet. Heat until very hot. Fry one tortilla at a time. Hold in fat gently and fold over. Turn to both sides to fry.

Drain on paper towel. Fill with Meat Filling given above. Top with grated yellow cheese, chopped lettuce and a fresh tomato wedge.

The Meat Filling above can also be used for:

## ENCHILADAS

Prepare the red enchilada sauce from red chili pods. Remove the stems and seeds. Rinse inside of pods in cold water.

Boil for 25-30 minutes. Remove from hot water. Place in bowl and add cold water so you can handle them. Mash between your thumb and fingers to remove pulp from skins. Throw skins away. This can also be done in a food mill or in the blender. The blender method uses skins and pulp.

When pulp is ready, melt one tablespoon of oil or lard per cup of pulp, in a heavy skillet. Add one tablespoon of flour for each tablespoon of fat. Stir until cooked. Add chili pulp and water. Add salt and garlic powder to taste. Boil for 5 minutes.

Fry corn tortilla until soft. Drain on paper towel. Dip in sauce. Stack or roll with meat, cheese and chopped onion. Top off with more sauce. Stack or roll with meat, cheese and chopped onion. Top off with more sauce and surround with chopped lettuce. As a final touch many people like a soft fried egg on top.

To compliment all sorts of food, a green chili salsa is used;

## GREEN CHILI SALSA

Fresh green chili, roasted and peeled or canned chili  
Canned tomatoes or fresh peeled tomatoes  
Garlic powder or finely minced fresh garlic  
Water

Mash tomatoes with hand or in blender. Chop green chili finely. Combine tomatoes, chili, garlic and water to make it spooning consistency. Mix with hand until blended.

Use on tacos, enchiladas, scrambled eggs, steak and just about anything else you can think of except dessert!

One of my favorite dishes is Chicken Mole and I had no idea how simple it could be!

## CHICKEN MOLE

Mole en pasta (8 1/2 ounce glass) (available locally in the Dona Maria Brand)  
1 fryer - cut up  
3 tablespoons flour  
1/2 cup water



Ramona Ortiz, our cook of the week, is famous for her cakes covered with roses. She taught classes last year in cake decorating but most of her

students still call the teacher when there is an extra special occasion. This cake with a cascade of yellow roses was made for the Richard Cantrell's anniversary.

Boil chicken until tender, covered with water. Make a thin pasta of 1/2 cup water and the flour. Using a wire whip blend the flour paste with one cup of broth of cooked chicken. Stir in Mole en pasta. Return this mixture to chicken in the cooking pot and simmer until blended.

A Lenten Dish that is traditional and special to many families is;

## TORTA DE HUEVOS

Prepare the Egg Batter given above, making it slightly thicker than for chili rellenos. Fry the batter in little cakes in hot oil; turning once. Put the little cakes in your favorite red chili sauce and serve.

No selection of recipes would be complete without a dessert. Ramona says everyone loves her rice pudding.

## RICE PUDDING

2 cups of rice



March 18, The Smokey Bear Museum enjoyed having 46 children and 8 adults from the Manuquito Children's Home in Gallup. Mr. Macrae, who was in charge of the group, and his wife were in the Museum November 10, the day after Smokey's funeral. Smokey's Memorial Services were held on November 17th and that was Mr. Macrae's birthday. The Smokey Bear Museum also wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Roswell for bringing them pictures of the Smokey Bear Stampede Parade 1975 and 1976. All of us join them in their gratitude. That was very nice of them. 200 visitors were in the Museum. Some from England.

The March meeting was held at the home of Marie Edgar ranch home with only two members absent and they were Mary Dean and Mora Tisworth who were greatly missed.

Special guests were Marjorie Eldridge and Agatha Long with the Stone twins.

The was a delicious dinner and everyone had a happy day after the business.

I enjoy driving around our Village and see the old buildings and homes being dismantled. A marvelous job is being done. Those of you who do not realize it, should go and see and enjoy the change. I am proud of our mayor and councilman. They are doing a splendid job.

Pauline McGarry returned from a two month vacation in Padre Island, Dallas. She visited the Starving Artist's exhibit of one thousand paintings.

Her trip was also on business as she contacted sellers for her Flea Market to be opened soon in Pauline's Barn. There are some spaces available and she says if you are interested in selling to contact her. Her family takes turns taking care of her mother, Mrs. Henson, who is 96 years old. She taught her decoupage and weaving while in Dallas.

Ethel Pepper was taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell a very sick lady Sunday. She returned home Wednesday. Her cousin Mr. and Mrs. Goodrum brought her and stayed until they could find someone to be with Mrs. Pepper. Mrs. Finley is staying with her and taking care of her daily.

The Junior play "Accidental Hero" is Friday at the School Gym.

Mr. Sam Roper of Carrizozo is now employed at the Capitan Builder's Supply. He started March 14. Welcome to Capitan and we do hope you like it with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Landers became the proud and happy parents of a baby daughter, Denise Gayle, born March 17 weighing 8 lbs. 13 1/2 oz. at the Eastern N.M. Medical Center in Roswell.

Happy Birthday to Ellen Faye Hammons whose day was March 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herndon and son Jeffrey of Canutillo, N.M. visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright, and daughter Kimberly, last weekend.

Gloris Cummins took Mrs. Bessie Cummins to Roswell last Wednesday for her chemotherapy.

Dorothy Johnston's aged mother, Mrs. Alexander of Oklahoma, recently suffered a heart attack and was hospitalized for several weeks. She is at home now and doing O.K. I do wish her a good recovery.

Mr. Bob Lock has retired from his work on a ranch north of Capitan and is now living in Capitan. Welcome to our good village. We hope you are happy with us.

Mrs. Pearl Soderback of Quitcena, Washington, arrived in Roswell Monday, March 14, and rented a car then came to Capitan for one week to take care of business and visit her friends. She had a nice time and all of us enjoyed seeing her. She stayed at Smokey Bear Motel.

Albert Staehler of Bavaria who created the first picture of Smokey Bear for the Forest in 1940's He died December 1974 and his ashes were scattered over a lake. His wife and four daughters survive in Miami, Florida, three daughters of which are blind. It was hereditary.

Smokey Bear Pamphlets are available at the Smokey Bear Museum, by Dorothy Guck. They are interesting.

Marilyn Cozzens of Santa Clara, California, broke her leg while tobogganing at Lake Tahoe. They have not had as much snow there as here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Avila and family moved last week to Oregon to make their home.

They sold their home here to John West of Santa Fe. He and Ann Buffington are going into the craft and art business as soon as they can find the proper location. Welcome to Capitan, Mr. West.

Grandmother Emilia Trujillo entered St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell from the Sun Set Villa, a very sick lady, and she at this time continues to be very ill. I do wish her a good-recovery.

Mary Flores entered St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell Sunday, March 14. She suffered a heart attack and was in intensive care for several days. I do wish her a good recovery. Friends have taken her husband, Richard, to see her often. I do wish her a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Marguerito Trujillo met his brother Eloy Chavez who came in via plane to visit his mother and them. He is on leave from the Merchant Marines.

The one-year-old grandson of J.B. Gay of California fell from a high and died. J.B. was reared in Capitan and his friends will remember him.

Margaret Rench of Highlands University in Las Vegas, N.M. came home March 18 for her daddy's and sister's birthday.

I wish Marguerito Trujillo and his daughter a happy birthday and many more.

Bud and Dorothy Payne of Carrizozo celebrated their 33rd wedding anniversary March 14. I do wish them many more such happy occasions together.

Kenneth Stone has been taking flying lessons in Albuquerque and the weekend of 12, he took his first solo flight. I wish you lots of happiness and joy in your future flights.

Forest Cool left Monday via bus for Albuquerque to the Veteran's Hospital for a further check on his health.

We of this community lost a good citizen, friend and neighbor, Orris Smith, March 14 at 4 a.m. when he passed away at the Ruidoso Hospital. He has been ill for some time. One month in the hospital this last time. He was laid to rest at the White Oaks cemetery Friday March 18. His parents are laid to rest there.

I have known him many years and found him to be a gentleman and always a good clean man. He was a rancher for many years, north of Capitan. He was a good business man and always kind to everyone.

He purchased property here in town and moved in several years ago. He had cattle until illness became serious several months ago. He sold his horse a few weeks ago, and we knew then he was preparing for something more serious.

He was a good rancher and knew his stock. He was very interesting to talk to as he knew the history of all this country thru the Sacramento Mountains etc. Time of trains etc. He was nearing 79 years of age. He kept active to the end.

We will miss him for he was a fine man.

My sympathy is extended to his aunt and three nephews and their families who survive.

## Warner's Boot & Shoe Repair

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# Knitting Nook & Liv's 3E Crafts

Jo Prichard & Liv Pate  
Owners

If you've been looking for an interesting, but creative new hobby, let the friendly people at the Knitting Nook & Liv's 3E Crafts in Alamogordo at 912 Delaware phone 437-3600 show you their complete line of both foreign and domestic yarns, knitting accessories, needlepoint and crewel kits. They're your STITCHERY & MACRAME HEADQUARTERS.

They are your headquarters for home spun crafts, macrame, beads, latch hook-rugs as well as all types of stitchery. When it comes to macrame, you will find everything from supplies and accessories to helpful advice.

Along with their fine line of high quality merchandise and reasonable prices, they can show you how to inexpensively get started in any one of a number of new hobbies, and if you desire they will arrange instructions on any of them.

Not only are hobbies of this type very practical and enjoyable, but they are an excellent way to relax through creating many useful articles

of clothing or any number of other practical articles.

Sand crafts, sand painting and sandscaping are now also offered here, so stop in soon and get started in this fun and creative hobby! They have a complete line of accessories and sand supplies.

The editing-staff of this Review suggest to the ladies of this area who are looking for some practical way to enjoy their spare hours, that they see the KNITTING NOOK & LIV'S 3E CRAFTS. You can enjoy meeting their cordial salesladies who are quite experienced in this field and who can assist you in getting started.

## Bob's Conoco

Bob Czarnicka-Owner  
Al Sanders-New Manager

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In these days of rising as prices and decreasing services at the pump island, who can the motorist trust to give him the best possible price on gas and the best service? Bob's Conoco at 1020 S. White Sands Blvd. (across from the Desert-Aire & Holiday Inn) in Alamogordo phone 437-4375, is your Conoco dealer and they know that the customer must come first!

With a nationwide network

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Make your gas stop at Bob's Conoco-a regular habit. You'll find that being a steady customer pays big dividends in terms of a smooth running automobile, and the gas prices are just as low as anyone's. The authors of the Progressive Message think you'll like the products and the service!

## J & M Mobile Home Moving

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A complete trailer and mobile home moving service is what you'll get when you contact J & M Mobile Home Moving Base Road in Alamogordo, phone 437-4709, to handle your next mobile home move! With the kind of experience that comes from moving large numbers of homes for factories and dealers, this qualified firm can and will do a better job for you when you need your home relocated anywhere in the country.

This is one mobile home mover who knows the importance of safety and

modern techniques. They feature only the very latest, specially-equipped trucks and systems to insure the absolute safety of your home during transport. Pilot cars, complete state and federal licensing and bonded insurance protection are just a few more reasons why your mobile-home-move should be done with care...with the J & M Mobile Home Moving.

The authors of this Progressive Message are pleased to recommend this outstanding mobile home transport company to all of our readers.

## Valley Feed & Seed

Chester & Barbara Anderson  
Owners

The Valley Feed & Seed is located at 4 1/2 miles North of Alamogordo on Hwy. 54-70 phone 437-8343. Here they now offer the finest Good Pastures liquid fertilizer in 10-34-0, and 32-0-0. Chester can help you with most of your problems and can show you how liquid fertilizer can help you. They have barb wire, bailing wire, field fence and much, much more!

This is one of the most worthwhile feed and supply houses rendering a most vital service in supplying the people of this section with feeds and supplies of the highest quality. Here, the latest improved methods are used and workmen of long experience deliver the supplies, tack and Veterinarian supplies that are meeting with such great favor with people of this section. Some money could be saved by inferior grades but this establishment adheres to the best standard of service and quality that it is possible to reach.

Valley Feed & Seed is also the area's best place for all of your swimming supplies.

Valley Feed & Seed is also now in the process of building new stables. Drop in and see how your horses can be professionally boarded.

The spirit of fair treatment is so evident that it has well nigh become a hard and fast rule. "Once a customer, always a customer."

The planners of this 1977 Review do highly endorse this reliable firm to all our readers.

## Novelette Shoppe

Rosanne M. DuBois

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That friendly store at 1009 10th in Alamogordo, phone 437-4649, is just waiting for you with bargains galore and some real old fashioned service! We're talking about the Novelette Shoppe, and it's high time that you made this fine retailer a regular stop on your shopping excursions. They have more to offer in general crafts than anyone!!!

Featuring a complete line of quality Indian ceremonial craft materials (people come from Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona, and all over to shop here), this well known merchant offers some great buys on all types of goods. They also specialize in service with a capital "S"! Stop in soon and see what we mean!

The Novelette Shoppe is one of the region's most prominent firms. Their business policies and courteous personnel have won them the respect and patronage of smart consumers throughout the area, and they feel that their customers are their most valuable asset! In composing this Progressive Message of leading businesses, we, the authors, are proud to be able to list such a popular store! The Novelette Shoppe!!!

## Clayton's Chevron

Clayton Smith-Owner  
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In the Alamogordo area, which service station still gives the kind of service that keeps customers coming in again and again? Clayton's Chevron located at 1600 White Sands Blvd., phone 437-2710, has been a "full service" station for years and their customers know it!

Featuring only quality products, this is one firm which refuses to be in the gasoline business just for the profit. If it means sacrificing customer service.

Drive on into the Clayton's Chevron and have your tank filled. We can't promise that the gas will be less expensive than anywhere else...nobody can do that anymore. We do think you'll notice a big difference in service, though, and as the authors of this 1977 Review we urge all of our readers to give this station a chance to show you what the word "service" really means!

Call Today for Free Estimates!

## Harper's Upholstery

John Harper-Owner

Specialists in all types of upholstery and heavy fabric work, Harper's Upholstery has become known throughout the area as being the place to go when only the best is good enough! Whether you want a couch and chair recovered, a new seat for your car or truck or an upholstered restaurant booth, Harper's Upholstery is the place to go!

Located at 1109 New York Ave. in Alamogordo, phone 437-3293, Harper's Upholstery can make nearly anything from fabric, vinyl or naugahide.

## Aztec Tile Co.

Tom Shields, Jr.-Owner

Distinctive interior design begins at the Aztec Tile Co. where one of the area's largest and most complete selections of tile is on display.

Stop in at 815 10th in Alamogordo, phone 437-8395, and discuss your building or remodeling plans with the experts.

Aztec Tile Co. will show you a fantastic collection of ceramic and non-ceramic tiles for every room in your home. There's nothing nicer than a beautiful room that you can say... "I did it myself!" about.

The Aztec Tile Co. is also a qualified tile contractor if you don't have time to do the work yourself. They have everything for the contractor, homeowner and the do-it-yourselfer. The authors of this 1977 Consumer Review urge anyone interested in tile to stop in and talk over their problems with the acknowledged tile experts - Aztec Tile Co.

Heavy duty sewing machines and other equipment will handle the toughest fabrics with ease and the skilled craftsmen are thoroughly schooled in all phases of the upholstering art. Regardless of what you need...if it's upholstery, Harper's Upholstery can handle it!

The writers of this 1977 Consumer Review suggest that all of our readers remember Harper's Upholstery for any type of upholstery work they may need.



## Payne's Painting Service

In Otero and Lincoln Counties, the "big job" painters are located at 2501 Stanford Ave. and their phone number is 437-0518. If you haven't guessed by now, we're talking about Payne's Painting Service.

As one of the region's leading commercial and

industrial painters, this bonded firm has established an enviable reputation for their careful, neat jobs, no matter how large! Since they normally do large buildings and plants, the largest residence is no problem for the experts.

They can handle application

of special finishes and operate with both brush and spray gun. There's no more versatile painter anywhere than this reliable concern! The authors of this 1977 Consumer Review urge you to contact the Payne's Painting Service at your earliest convenience and discuss that "really big job" that you have!

## U. S. Navy

Chief Ray Stout-Recruiter

"Join the Navy and see the world!" While this popular phrase is still true today as it was 30 years ago, there's a lot more to the modern Navy than travel. Opportunity, for instance, is more prevalent today than ever before. A young man enlisting in today's Navy can choose from over 70 different career fields and skills, with chance for advancement, steady pay,

educational courses and, of course, travel as added benefits. Phone collect (505) 437-4148, and talk over your future in the Navy with Chief Ray Stout. The office in Alamogordo is located at 1421 19th Street.

Listen when opportunity knocks. The Navy can train you for a lifetime career that will keep you going throughout your civilian life. There are

many other benefits too numerous to mention, so call collect 437-4148 and find out for yourself! The Navy is a great place to start.

The authors of this 1977 Consumer Review are pleased to be able to list and recommend this outstanding Navy recruiting office to all of our readers with a desire for a solid future.

## Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

Tom Steelman-Manager

Where do builders, who want to save money and still get the best materials, go? In this area, the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. offers lower prices and the finest selection of quality products anywhere! People from miles around save time and money by making this their one-stop home improvement center!

Easily accessible at 2900 White Sands Blvd. in Alamogordo, this outstanding retailer offers more in terms of selection, service, and low prices! You can phone 437-6040 to place your order, and it will be waiting at the loading dock when you arrive.

For everything you need in the way of building materials

and the lowest prices anywhere--see the friendly people at the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. and save money while you use the

finest supplies available! As the editors of this 1977 Consumer Review, we give our unconditional endorsement to this fine organization.

## Gillett Construction Co.

Glenn Gillett-Owner

It is the opinion of most anyone in the Alamogordo and Carrizozo area who has had the Gillett Construction Co. handle their building construction that there is no more qualified contractor anywhere! With offices located North of Alamogordo (P. O. Box 75, ZIP 88301), phone 437-4537 for estimates, this is one general contractor with the ability and equipment to get the job done and done

right! They do industrial, residential and commercial work and be sure to call for an estimate on remodeling.

Gillett Construction Co. is noted for their fair prices and businesslike policies. They urge anyone considering building to contact them for a referral list of satisfied customers. Their work is their best recommendation!

Using only the latest

equipment and tools, Gillett Construction Co. combines the most up-to-date building techniques with a professional attitude to see your job through! The authors of this 1977 Consumer Review wish to take time to commend this well-respected construction company and suggest to our readers that they have the Gillett Construction Co. take care of all their construction needs! Call today!

## The Metalworks

For truly professional machine work, leading manufacturers and farmers in this area depend on The Metalworks for parts fabrication, metalizing, grinding and other related services that require specialized equipment and skillful operators. The Metalworks offers many designs in ornamental iron and can repair stained glass or custom make anything in stained glass for you.

Easily accessible at 511 White Sands Blvd. in Alamogordo, phone 434-1980, this outstanding shop works on continuing basis with prominent firms that need the services of a fully-equipped machine shop to keep their equipment operating and to

make special parts when required. This fine shop also does the very best heat-treating as well as conventional welding including aluminum and cast-iron. Equipment repair is a specialty here!

The Metalworks now offers courses in oxyacetylene-MIG and are welding so don't spend any more time bouncing from job to job, never getting anywhere. Do something positive for your future by enrolling in your choice of welding courses at The Metalworks. They are a VA approved and tuition assistance approved welding school. You can enroll any Monday night. They offer a 9 month

occupational training course and 20 hr. arc and acetylene courses tailored to your individual needs. Night courses are primarily offered but day courses can be had on request. Don't let an exciting career in welding pass you by and continue through life working at a "job". Reach out and find yourself in a life-time "occupation"!

The authors of this 1977 Consumer Review urge everyone who wants to make something of himself to look into the many opportunities available at The Metalworks. Welding School and recommend them to all our readers needing top quality machine shop work.

## O. Leonard Baird Trucking

Leonard Baird-Owner

Livestock buyers and ranchers in the area know to get the finest livestock hauling available, they must call O. Leonard Baird Trucking, located West of Alamogordo, phone 437-7455.

These professionals of the hauling business know that their cargo must be delivered safely and quickly to its destination so that the livestock they are hauling will

suffer the least weight loss, which they know is a critical factor in this business.

Their line of tractors and trailers are well maintained, and their drivers are thoroughly experienced in this field, which is just part of the reason that they have gained much popularity in this specialized field.

Don't gamble with inexperience and reputation,

contact this firm for the best your money can buy. You'll find that their charge is fully in line with the job they do for you.

In this Progressive Message, we, the Editors, are pleased to mention this fine firm and suggest to our readers that they contact Leonard Baird with confidence of a job well done.

## Ponderosa Auto Sales

Vernon Crawford-Owner  
Randy Crawford-Owner

Looking for a real buy in a beautiful new camper or used car? See Ponderosa Auto Sales at 718 S. White Sands in Alamogordo, phone 434-0510 and make the deal of a lifetime on a fantastic new topper or pick-up camper!

This well-known dealer features all of the latest Stutz, Pony Coach, Glasstite and Lemac models and he knows that he's got the best unit on the market! These built-for-value campers feature master craftsmanship and quality construction throughout and you can order yours direct from the factory with a whole selection of desirable options to fit your exact needs. You'll enjoy those trips a lot more in a new pick-up camper or

topper from Ponderosa Auto Sales! This customer-minded dealer does more than just sell you the finest camper on the market. He makes sure that you are completely satisfied in every respect. Service after the sale is part of their product.

For many years, automobile dealers considered the "used car" business a sideline to selling new models. The friendly guys down at the Ponderosa Auto Sales totally reject this theory. They specialize in used cars exclusively, and, right now, they're dealing with a lower profit margin than anyone in an all-out effort to help their customers beat the current

rate of inflation by offering great deals on good, used economy cars.

The kind of business that this respected firm does is the main reason for their large "family" of repeat customers. People return again and again when they need an automobile because they know that integrity, quality and value are passwords at this fine used car dealer.

Buy the safe way! Stop in at Ponderosa Auto Sales and look over the tremendous values in quality used automobiles and new pick-up campers and toppers. The authors of this Progressive Message recommend this fine firm for better new toppers, pick-up campers, used cars and better values!

## Barker's Diesel

Complete Truck & Tractor Service

Barker's Diesel at 2 1/2 miles North of Hwy. 54 & 70, North of Alamogordo, phone 437-8479, is the area's diesel engine specialist and one of the foremost truck repair facilities. If you're having trouble with your rig, make an appointment to have it serviced by this reliable shop.

A diesel engine is a complex mechanism that requires the proper tools and a thorough

knowledge of its systems to effect a good repair. The pros at this garage have both the skill and the equipment to get the job done, fast, right, and at a minimum cost. You'll drive away with the satisfaction that comes only with a smooth running rig.

At Barker's Diesel, they can repair all makes and models and are familiar with diesel engines of all types.

Make arrangements today to have your rig serviced by the experts!

Butch specializes in diesel tractor engine rebuilding, custom painting of trucks and auto welding and fiberglass work.

The editors of this Progressive Message think you'll drive away from Barker's Diesel with a smile!

"The Griffin Brothers"  
Younk, Pete & Cleve Griffin

## Loomix Liquid Feed

Lincoln & Otero Counties  
Finest When it Comes to Stone, Brick & Veneer Work!

For stone and brick work of all types, one of the area's leading contractors is the Griffin Brothers. Call 434-1096 for estimates!

The Loomix Liquid Feed is located North of Alamogordo, phone 434-1096 (if no answer 437-6389 or 437-7889). They feature a liquid feed supplement for cattle and

serve Lincoln and other counties.

Through all periods of economic fluctuation this firm has always been ready to serve the best interest of the ranchers and general public of this section. They have derived more than the mere profit as measured by dollars and cents, because there has

been a real and genuine satisfaction to this firm...to be able to render this service.

A business of this kind is essential to the entire section. By fair and honest methods they have gained the confidence and patronage of the people of this community.

This experienced masonry contractor...can handle any job...whether it's large or small. A fireplace, barbecue, patio, walk or step is handled with the same skill and dedication as a custom stone veneer job for your home or office. Using only the finest of materials and the latest techniques, this is one contractor who can do the job for you with professional expertise!

Call them today and talk over your plans for construction with masonry materials. Their years of experience and their sources of materials guarantee that you'll end up with the best looking job you've ever seen!

A fine spirit of cooperation has always been in every transaction with this firm and we, the writers of this Progressive Message wish to compliment them.

## Tyler's Chevron

Steve Tyler-Manager.  
Ron Tyler-Manager.

Two Locations to Serve You! Need gas? Pull into either one of Tyler's Chevrons at 801 4th, phone 585-2803 or at 420 4th, phone 585-2627 and be pleasantly surprised at something that many folks consider a thing of the past: service! You'll find the lowest possible prices on gas and the famous Chevron products and accessories you need.

Customer satisfaction is the main reason behind this outstanding dealer's success in this area. The large following of regular

customers shows that this station cares about people! With a complete service facility, this fine station can perform most any repair that your auto requires, from precision tune-up to a new set of tires.

Quality Chevron products and the kind of service offered by Steve Tyler are two good reasons for you to do business here.

The writers of this 1977 Progressive Message think you'll become a regular customer after just one visit!



## Red Flame Truck Stop Cafe

Mr. & Mrs. Reid Simmons  
Owners & Operators

Conveniently located at 1455 Hwy. 70 West in Alamogordo, phone 437-9640, the Red Flame Truck Stop Cafe is recognized by professional truckers, travelers, and the local residents as being one of the very best restaurants anywhere! A real meal anytime of the day or night is what they serve here, and their reputation has spread far and wide.

Man-sized portions of choice steak, home-styled fried chicken, seafood specialties and famous, mouth-watering food have made this one place that drivers stop at whether they're really hungry or not. The local cars in their parking lot points to the fact that truck drivers aren't the only ones who know how great the food is!

semi to eat at the Red Flame Truck Stop Cafe. With clean, wholesome atmosphere and the complete menu of succulent dishes, this is one place where the family can enjoy a real meal together! We, as the editors of this Progressive Message, suggest that you try this restaurant for the finest food anywhere...you don't even need to pull in a truck!

## McDonald's

Lowell Dayton-Owner  
Michael Arterburn-Manager

McDonald's, a nationwide chain of fast-food restaurants, is alive and well and flourishing in Alamogordo at 222 S. White Sands Blvd., phone 437-2414. The restaurants that have become famous for their fast service, cleanliness and quality products are now offering an even wider selection of food.

This selection includes several varieties of hamburgers, ranging from a simple hamburger or cheeseburger to a Quarter Pounder. McDonald's also recently introduced a line of breakfast food that includes pancakes and sausage, scrambled eggs, and their celebrated Egg McMuffin, which is an egg, slice of Canadian bacon and cheese on an English muffin. Rounding out the menu at McDonald's is the fish sandwich, the famous McDonald's french fries, a wide variety of flavored shakes and cold drinks, and even McDonald's cookies and fried pies!

McDonald's Restaurants is subjected to the most stringent quality control. For example, all hamburgers feature beef patties made from 100 percent beef. New products are introduced only after success in closely watched test markets. Other factors influencing the success of the restaurants are the fast service, which has become a McDonald's trademark, the low prices, and the cleanliness of the restaurant facilities.

## Larry's Paint & Body Shop

Larry Garcia-Owner

What detracts more from the appearance and resale of your car or truck than unsightly dents and scratches

in the body? The time to have that fender straightened or dent filled & painted is right now before the exposed metal starts to rust and major damage begins. One quick phone call to Larry's Paint & Body Shop at 1603 9th in Alamogordo, phone 437-9093,

will generally give you that low bid and quality service you've been looking for!

Everyone served at McDonald's is treated to superior food, fast and friendly service and clean, family surroundings...all for a surprisingly low price. McDonald's Restaurants are still just about the best bargain around!

With years and years of experience behind him, this is a body shop which is recommended by many insurance adjusters. And for good reason! Repairing and re-painting damaged body

work is his job. Larry's only job! With the latest tools and techniques at his disposal, this is one shop which is fully equipped to turn out a perfect job time after time! The writers of the Progressive Message recommend you see the pros: Larry's Paint & Body Shop!

## Electric Motors Unlimited

Don Parkison-Owner  
Serving all of  
Southwestern New Mexico

Expert electric motor service is available in the Otero and Lincoln area at the Electric Motors Unlimited!

The skilled professionals at this shop, located at 310 N. White Sands Blvd., phone 437-2048, can repair most types of electric motors.

They specialize in such services as rewinding, balancing, repairing, bearing

replacement and more. If you need a new electric motor for any type of machinery, this is the place to go. They feature one of the area's largest stocks of new and used motors for any and all applications for industrial, commercial and residential uses. Arc welders, transformers and other units requiring heavy duty motors

and electrics are also serviced by this fine shop. See them for all of your electric motor needs.

The writers of this Progressive Message are pleased to be able to recommend the Electric

Motors Unlimited to all of our readers as their best friend in the electric motor field.

## Montgomery Ward

Gary Butler-Owner

For value and the best selection anywhere, stop in at the area's leading department store...Montgomery Ward! Located at 822 New York Ave. in Alamogordo, phone 437-2660 for catalog orders, your modern, progressive Ward's store features nearly everything that you want and need!

family to a fine selection of appliances to stereos and television sets to toys for the kids...Ward's has it! Drop in today and find what you've been looking for! Remember...you can charge all of your purchases at Ward's!

2660 and get a copy of the big catalog. You can order anything WITHOUT leaving your chair and...you can charge it! The authors of the Progressive Message urge all residents of this area to discover the value and convenience of the finest store in the region...Montgomery Ward!

## Jack's Welding Service

Jack Wood-Owner

With such a rapid development of the Lincoln and Otero County areas, an efficient welding service becomes more necessary. By having a dependable welding service, much delay is avoided and operation costs are drastically reduced for industries and farmers alike.

It makes no difference how large or small the job may be, Jack's Welding Service at 2501 N. White Sands Blvd., phone 437-2393 in Alamogordo will do it in such a manner that you will be entirely satisfied with their work. Jack's Welding Service is fully equipped for all classes of work, including cast iron, bronze and brass and he does each job according to the latest approved methods. They are specialists in the repair of broken parts.

Jack Wood is a specialist who understands in detail the intricate processes of welding various types of metals. You are assured of receiving a precise job which will give you satisfactory service.

In this 1977 Consumer Review, we the writers, wish to compliment Jack's Welding Service upon giving such excellent welding service to patrons in this section.

## Ride On Bicycle Shop

When you're considering a bicycle for transportation, energy conservation, exercise and fun...consider this: The Ride On Bicycle Shop carries Gaiete Motobecane-Takara-Masi-Vista-Perigo, Raleigh, Volkscycle bicycles all built better utilizing the finest components so they're easier to pedal. You can go farther and faster with less effort on a famous bicycle as one of these! The Ride On Bicycle Shop known in the Lincoln & Otero Co. area as the Leading Bike Shops!

Located at 602 N. White Sands Blvd., phone 434-1920 this quality-conscious dealer features many fine bicycles! They have all models and sizes and a bicycle to fit every budget! These bicycles are built to last.

See the complete line of bicycles at the Ride On Bicycle Shop. They also have a fine selection of bicycling accessories and parts as well as a skilled service department. Get into cycling right...with a new bicycle from Ride On!

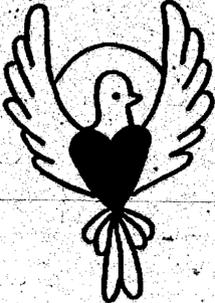
The writers of this 1977 Consumer Review think you'll enjoy your bike more when you get it from Ride On Bicycle Shop!

## S & E New and Used Furniture

Doubtless you plan some improvements in your home this season. If so, think of the S & E NEW & USED FURNITURE, at 811-817 White Sands Blvd. in Alamogordo, phone 437-9385, where new and beautiful styles and patterns of suites, occasional pieces, appliances, lamps await your inspection. S & E NEW & USED FURNITURE specializes in nationally advertised lines of furniture with complete delivery and installation facilities.

For some time, they have served the people of this area reliably and well. By stocking only items manufactured by well established and duly recognized home furnishing concerns, they have won and held the confidence of their many patrons. They now serve an ever growing clientele of satisfied customers.

No progress report would be complete without recommendation to the people of this area S & E NEW & USED FURNITURE, and we, the writers, do so in our 1977 Consumer Review.



## The Spirit is A-movin'

planning. Persons needing information may phone Nena, 648-2524. If she can not be reached, you may call her sister, Bolly, 648-2524. Father Sys will be available for advise.

### RUIDOSO

Father Flavio Santillanes-Ruidoso, N.M. St. Eleanor Parish phone 257-2330 (St. Jude Thaddeus Parish-San Patricio, N.M. serving the Hondo Valley.)

Sunday Masses: St. Eleanor's-11:15 a.m., Saturday evening (fulfills Sunday obligation) 7:00 p.m. St. Jude's-7:45 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Confessions 6:30 to 6:55 p.m. at St. Eleanor's. Before all Masses at St. Jude's.

The Catholic Spanish Mission with Padre Enrique Fernandez started March 20 at St. Jude's in San Patricio. It will end March 25.

On March 20th the CYO group met at 6:30 p.m. in the Church Hall.

Any girl of high school age, is eligible to run for Queen of St. Eleanor's first Fiesta, to be held May 1st. Those interested were to submit name and name of sponsor to Mildred Wantez at 257-2092 before Wednesday, March 23rd. Watch for future announcements in this column concerning the fiesta!

St. Jude's Altar and Rosary Society

### CORONA

Father Richard Olona-Vaughn, N.M.-Missions are Pastura, Pino Wells, Encino, Duran, Corona. Rectory phone in Vaughn is 645-2954.

Mayordomos of Corona are Tranquillino and Jean Chavez. In Corona Josie Alirez handles the religion instructions of the young people.

During Lent, Mass is offered every Monday at 7:00 p.m. at Santa Teresita Church in Corona.

Masses-Saturday evening: Corona 4:30, Duran 6:00 p.m., Vaughn 7:30 p.m. Sunday Mass-Vaughn 8:30 a.m., Encino 10:00 a.m. (Saturday fulfills Sunday obligation.)

Confessions before every Mass.

From the main parish of St. Mary's in Vaughn:

Father Larry Richardt, director of the Deacon Internship Program was welcomed to the parish. He will be there until Monday.

Free throw Championship was held March 20 in Vaughn.

There was a Knight's of Columbus meeting Sunday March 20 at 7:30 p.m.

Adult Bible Studies are held Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Tonight the choir will meet at 7:30.

Thanks to all who made the Day of Prayer for men such a success. Thanks to the men who participated in the Day of Prayer as well as all of you who helped by setting up and cleaning the hall. Thanks, you ladies for the delicious food.

There will be a Day of Prayer for all the ladies of the parish on Sunday, May 1st. All women 18 years and older are welcome to attend. The Day of Prayer will be conducted by Sister Pat Spangler, O.P. The Day of Prayer will begin at 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

### CARRIZOZO

Father Joseph Sys, W.F. Carrizozo, N.M.-Missions are Capitan, Ft. Stanton, Lincoln. Rectory phone in Carrizozo is 648-2953. Religious education instruction is handled by Sis. Gail Stackpole & her assistants. Her phone number is 648-2969. Masses-Saturday: Santa Rita, Carrizozo 7 p.m. Sunday: Santa Rita in Carrizozo 9 a.m., Sacred Heart in Capitan 11 a.m., Ft. Stanton 1:45 p.m. Confessions-Carrizozo: 4 p.m. Saturday by request. Elsewhere, before Mass.

These are the instructors in the CCD program in Capitan: Grade 1 - Patty and Chuck Woodall; Grades 2 and 3 - Carmen Burch, teacher. Gino Romero, aide; Grades 4 to 6 - Mary Lu Parker; Junior and Senior High School - Sister Gail.

Refreshments: Tony Otero. Substitute is Irma Trujillo.

On Monday night at 7:30, March 21, there was in Carrizozo at Santa Rita parish hall, a meeting of parents of the First Communicants. There was a good turnout. On April 6, the evening before Holy Thursday, there will be a brief practice at 7:00 p.m. in the church (for First Communion Day).

Santa Rita's Lenten "Mission", called "Weekend of Christian Living" is coming soon: April 1st and 2nd. You will be approached by someone representing the church to sign up. Conception (Choncho) Morales, Lucilla Osorio, and Polly Chavez have registration blanks available. The mission is open to all who are 15 years of age and over. (Not just 18 as was stated before). The team from Albuquerque who are conducting the week-end will be bringing a 15 year old boy and a 16 year old girl to talk to their own age-group. Rose Padilla has registration blanks. Each person signing up are requested to pay \$1.00 to help defray costs. (to help pay for food, coffee breaks, paper cups, etc.)

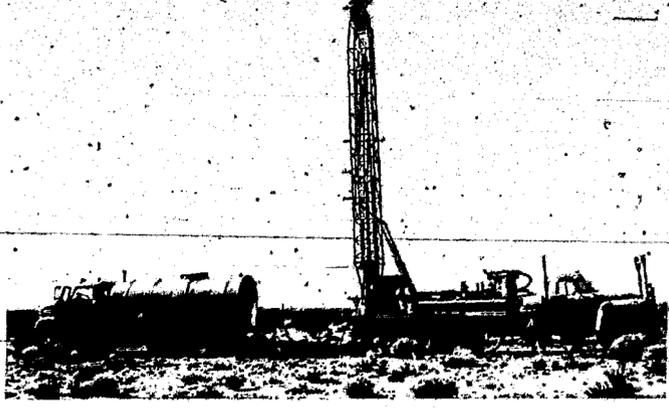
People are urged to attend all sessions of the week-end, realizing that missing any of the sessions break the continuity of the week-end program. To participate you need not be Catholic in good standing. The divorced are warmly invited, couples of whom one is not Catholic; in fact even non-Catholic. We call it Weekend of Christian Living (for peoples of Carrizozo, Capitan, Lincoln, Ft. Stanton).

Santa Rita parish held their regular monthly coffee and donuts last Sunday after the 10 a.m. Mass. Courtesy of Jack Magee. Last month courtesy of Josie and Vic Simeros.

Santa Rita parish will not hold Bingo until after Easter, in conformity with the spirit of Lent. Many parishes suspend Bingo all during Lent.

Confirmation Class was held in Capitan Church for Capitan area and Carrizozo, Sunday, March 20th. Next week it will be in Carrizozo for Capitan and Carrizozo, March 27, 5:30 till 7 p.m. This is for all confirmandi.

Most Rev. Archbishop is coming Sunday, April 17 for Confirmations. Mass schedules will be changed. The ladies of the parishes are requested to come up with some ideas for a reception. Nena Sanchez Ortiz from Carrizozo will soon be planning for the reception. Persons from Capitan will be contacted to participate with the



Drilling of the initial test holes has begun in the Kilborne Hole area on land leased from the Bureau of Land Management.

## Earth heat may be answer

Within the last six years, New Mexico has become an area of interest to many corporations and individuals seriously involved in the search for productive sites of geothermal energy.

Geothermal energy, literally "earth heat", is the heat generated in the interior of the earth and conducted to the surface. Areas where there is an abnormal concentration of this heat, or "hot spots", are often associated with recent (within the last few million years) volcanic activity and active mountain building. The western United States - including New Mexico-is just such an area, and for these reasons, several sites near Las Cruces have become targets for geothermal exploration.

The Bureau of Land Management has recently leased several thousand acres near Kilborne Hole, 18 miles southwest of Las Cruces, to several corporations and individuals interested in exploring the geothermal potential of the area. Hunt Energy Corporation, who is currently in charge of conducting exploratory work on some of these leases, began drilling operations early in February of this year.

A number of holes, known as shallow temperature gradient holes, are drilled initially to obtain a variety of information. It will take approximately

two months to complete the drilling, after which the data thus gathered will be analyzed by Geothermal Services Inc., a San Diego based firm contracted by Hunt to do the shallow drilling and heat flow study.

Many factors are involved in determining the potential of a site. According to Steve Quiett, chief geologist for Geothermal Services, Inc., two important such components are the amount of increase in temperature as depth increases (measured in F per 100 feet) and the thermal conductivity of the surrounding rock. Other factors such as the size, extent, and possible potential of the anomaly are determined through further and more intensive testing on areas which prove most promising as a result of the initial testing.

After analysis, it will be up to Hunt to decide if parts of the area tested look promising enough for further, more intensive exploration. If it is decided there may be commercial potential at Kilborne Hole; if these holes tell Hunt that some area looks promising, and it is decided that the promise is worth the risk and expense, then sometime in the near future, we will see increased and more intensive activity in an attempt to determine more precisely the potential of the Kilborne Hole area.

## Teaching coyotes hard

Teaching a coyote to hate the taste of sheep may not be an easy task, but it is a problem which fascinates researchers such as Dr. Frank T. Etsorn who recently joined the faculty at the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology as assistant professor of psychology.

Dr. Etsorn's present research does not directly involve the coyote. He is working with mice, investigating various aspects of "illness induced aversion learning," which means teaching an animal to dislike a substance (such as sugar water) which he previously liked, by causing him to become ill after sampling the substance.

This research may be of benefit in finding new methods for predator control. Researchers have shown that a bait packet of lamb's wool and skin, laced with a non-lethal dose of toxin, can teach the coyote that eating sheep gives him a tummy-ache - better to eat rabbits and rodents which don't have side effects.

"Early experiments with this type of aversion learning conducted by Dr. John Garcia at UCLA have been quite successful," Dr. Etsorn explained. "They have a film strip showing a coyote being chased around a pen by a lamb after his aversion training." There is much research still to be

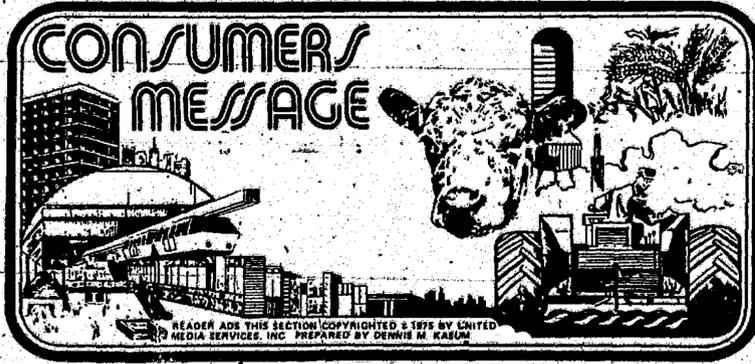
done on this subject: trying to find the perfect toxin - tasteless but powerful, learning how fast the toxin must act for the animal to make the association between the bait and the illness, finding out how long the aversion will last without repeating the baiting, etc.

"There is great potential in this form of predator control," Etsorn believes, "because it is faster and less expensive than present methods and the coyotes are not destroyed, they may even benefit the rancher more by killing more rodents and rabbits."

Etsorn came to Tech from George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, where he served as a research associate. He has also worked in research and teaching at Western Kentucky University.

He also has worked in drug research at the Nashville Veterans Administration Hospital in the antabuse-induced alcohol aversion project, in the emergency room of Nashville General Hospital as a consultant for drug identification in overdose cases, and served as employment director for Youth Incorporated in Nashville.

He holds the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Western Kentucky University, and the Ph. D. degree in experimental psychology with related areas in medicine and biology from George Peabody College for Teachers.



# Fort Stanton

By Dollie Lawson



A certificate of appreciation for the work done by the Mounted Patrol was presented at the March meeting. From

the left are George Sisson, Lt. Marvin Roberts, John Makoving, Don Stark and Sheriff Bill Elliott.



The members of the Mounted Patrol voted to send Sgt. George Sisson

(left) to a special police school. At the right is Lt. Marvin Roberts who heads the troop.

## Mounted Patrol work saluted

George Sisson of the New Mexico Mounted Patrol presented the Lincoln County troop with certificates

of appreciation from the Ruidoso Elks and American Legion.

Lincoln County law enforcement officers were honored at a special joint meeting of the organizations last week and Sisson represented Troop 5.

The awards will be framed and will hang in the County Fair Building in Capitan; it was decided Sunday at the monthly meeting of the organization.

The members voted to send Sisson to a special state police training school on recommendation of John Makoving of Carlsbad, who is state training officer for the Mounted Patrol.

Also present at the meeting was New Mexico Deputy Chief Don Stark.

Wives of the members served a pot luck dinner before the meeting. The next meeting will be an April shoot-at the Bill Shreengost Range.

Cable TV is now being installed at the Fort... after an absence of over six weeks. A few residents have already had the cable connected to their homes while the majority of us are still waiting. We all hope the work will be completed as scheduled in the near future.

The new school canteen is also nearing completion. Greta Lamb should be able to move the canteen operation in a few more weeks after the counters are installed. The finish work is being done by the maintenance department at the Fort. Frankie Silva stated that only a few more items needed to be completed. Two transitional homes for our higher functioning students are ready for inspection. Fourteen students will move into them as soon as they have been inspected and licensed.

Saturday night Bonnie McEuen sponsored a St. Patrick's Day Dance for the residents and staff. The band from Camp Sierra Blanca and a band from Roswell played for the event. Bonnie plans a weekly dance for the residents of the Fort. The band from Roswell has been able to play for us. We hope that they will come back soon. All staff members are invited to attend the weekly dances.

Twenty-eight residents of Fort Stanton Training School have entered the Regional Special Olympics in Roswell on March 26. Each year the Kennedy Foundation sponsors the Special Olympics for retarded individuals, ages 9 to older adults. Younger students are allowed to participate in the opening parade. Events include: 50 yd., 100 yd., 220 yd. and 440 yd. dashes, mile run, relay races, softball throw, broad jump, standing high jump, basketball, bowling, tumbling and swimming events. There are also special events for the non-ambulatory.

The emphasis of the Olympics is participation rather than winning. All contestants are winners in that ribbons are given for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and for participating. Prior to the regional events, local schools send in individual times so that the various heats will be scheduled according to ability.

This year the Regional Olympics are sponsored by the Jaycees and will be at the NMMI campus in Roswell. Employees from the Fort who have requested to work at the Olympics include: Abbey Baldwin, Rudy Garcia, Steve Moreno, Bill Morris, Vic Rameriz, Barbara Noonan and Jake Chavez. Bonnie McEuen and Rito Moreno from Recreation have been working with the students since January preparing for the various events. The Olympics are open to the public free of charge.

If any of you are planning to be in Roswell Saturday, stop by and cheer for the Fort Stanton team. This will be one day that the retarded students have as their own.

Favia Dalton is in charge of the Client Services' requisitions, clothing purchases, and work schedules. Carmen Luna and Gleneth Shaffer are the secretaries at the Administration Building. Gleneth works primarily for Horace Cordova and the Client Service Department. Carmen works for Mark Delgado, The Fiscal Officer for the Fort is Leo Montoya. Rose Montes and Sarah Jobe work with him in the Fiscal Department. Mittie Smith is in charge of payroll and insurance.

Elaine Shaffer is our personnel department. When applying for a job see Elaine for all necessary information and application forms. Lorraine Sanchez is another department of 1. She is our In-service Training Co-ordinator. Responsible for inservice for the staff, GED for students, and college classes for the staff. Lorraine is also the local EEO counselor. At stated previously, our administration staff is very small as compared to similar sized programs; however, they do an outstanding job.

**JOB OPENINGS:** One RN, One LPN, One Social Worker, One O.T. or P.T. Contact Elaine Shaffer at 354-2211 for additional information.

Last week I wrote about CP and Down's children, two of the more common types of cases found at the Fort. A third type commonly found in special education programs is Strauss Syndrome or brain damaged children. Brain damage may be caused by (1) prenatal injury (2) post natal injury (3) illness accidents (4) illness-injury to mother during pregnancy, (5) unknown factors - emotional stress, drug abuse.

The subject of brain damage is very extensive and is often open to debate. My primary concern is that certain types of brain damage can be prevented and other types can be virtually overcome if found early and treated through individualized educational programs.

Many children are perfectly normal until they become ill with diseases which cause high fevers. Spinal meningitis is a fairly common disease in New Mexico, especially in the Indian Reservations. Many of our Indian students at the Fort have had the disease. In the past it was difficult for parents to get to PHS hospitals in time to treat the disease.

Severe cases of the disease often result in the so called "crib cases" children unable to walk, unable to perform basic, self care skills. Less severe cases sometimes result in non verbal children, visually or auditorily impaired, or in hyperactive children.

Spinal meningitis can be serious at any age but is more prone to cause brain damage to children under the age of 3. Not all children suffer brain damage when they have the disease but it is a major cause of retardation which parents need to be aware of. Any temperature over 105 degrees which lasts for a prolonged period can also cause damage.

Some brain damaged children are only Learning Disabled. Usually these children have difficulty learning to read, write, spell, or work with numbers. Some educators call the problem minimal brain dysfunction. The children are not retarded and the term brain damage is misleading and confusing to parents. The children, often for no apparent reason, have difficulty (reversals, poor visual memory, poor perceptual skills, poor eye-hand coordination, lack of dominance, short attention span) in school.

The problem can be explained as immaturity for several years until it

becomes serious. The LD child can be helped if the problem is discovered early in elementary school. Previously drugs were used to help curb hyperactivity; however, with research newer and sometimes more successful techniques have been developed.

Having a LD child is nothing to be ashamed of. Special programs can be written and carried out by the local classroom teacher and parent. Usually an hour or so a day in a resource room will help the child overcome the problem. More severe problems do require specialized help.

Nationally the number of LD children is shocking - from 5 to 20 percent and sometimes higher. Usually LD children do not go to institutions. Their problems can be prevented-corrected in the local community through physical motor programs, special education classes, and parental understanding.

More severe types of brain damage often result from pre-natal conditions. It is fairly common knowledge that women who have rubella during the first three months of pregnancy may have a child with birth defects. Not as widely accepted is the theory that excessive use of alcohol and drugs may also cause mental retardation.

Unborn children are directly affected by the mother's condition. A child may be born addicted to drugs. If a woman has a venereal disease the child may contract it at birth. If left untreated it will cause the child to become mentally retarded. Many types of brain damage can be prevented with proper pre-natal and postal care.

Parents also need to be aware that chronic ear aches can lead to middle ear infections. For many years I have worked with children who have had chronic middle ear infections. Many were diagnosed as mentally retarded. Others had no language. The majority were bright youngsters only functionally retarded.

Many so called slow learners may only be auditorily impaired. Ear aches can be a serious matter. Public schools have been aware of the importance of yearly hearing and visual checks for many years. A few children still

manage to slip by and parents should be aware that if a child has chronic ear trouble it might be wise to have the family doctor check the condition of the ear drum.

There are many other causes of brain damage which will be discussed in another column.

Plans have been completed for our Spring Carnival. A total of 23 booths have been planned. The carnival will start at 1:00 p.m. and last until dark. Donations are coming in but we will need more. Bobby Dan Crenshaw has been placed in charge of publicity and donations. Call him at 354-2211 for more information.

Elizabeth and Bernice Pittman are making beautiful pot holders from native wood and walnut shells. I especially like their lady bugs and owls. Chuck Messel of the Mal Pais Market has donated 10 lbs. of hamburger for the winner of the greased pole climb. Who ever wins can pick the meat up at the meat market. Tommy Aldaz and the dietary staff will be in charge of the Foods Booth. They will serve fry bread, hotdogs, cake, doughnuts, and drinks from noon until the carnival closes. Sharon Bandy will be in charge of the Fortune Telling Booth. Bonnie McEuen will have the Fort Stanton Train out for train rides around the fort.

The ladies from the infirmary have a lot of April Fool's jokes planned - they are giving shots but won't tell of what. The Gag Booth sounds like a lot of fun. Frankie Silva volunteered for the Kissing Booth but was voted out by the ladies. No one knows who or what will be running that booth. Everyone is hoping that April 1st will be a nice warm day with out snow, rain or wind.

It sounds like a lot of fun with something for everyone... food, prizes, clowns, jokes, train rides, contests, bands. Plan to come out and have some fun.

Until next time,  
Dollie

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Fort Stanton will have a Special Olympics Day for all 170 students during the week of May 1. A definite date has not been set and will be announced later. Every one is invited to attend the all day affair. More information about it later. During the latter part of May the State Olympics will be conducted in Albuquerque. Every four years state finalists compete nationally. The last national Olympics were in Michigan in 1975.

For several weeks I have been discussing the various departments at the Fort. Every state institution or special education program must have an administrative staff. Fort Stanton has a small administrative staff for an institution of its size. Mark Delgado has been the administrator since December. He is in charge of the total program. Horace Cordova is the assistant administrator in charge of Client Services. All departments related directly to education and resident care are under Client Services, included - Vocational Department, Psychological Services, Resident Care Services, Social Services and Quality Control. Medical Records, headed by Agnes Crouse, is a vital part of the Fort Stanton program. Working with Agnes are Patsy Baca and Becky Sparks. Bobby Crenshaw is our Quality Control Agent. He is also in charge of Community Placements. Working for him as a social worker is Sharon Bandy. Bobby is the monitor for all ICF programs. Currently there is one social worker position open. John Genta is the only person in the Psychology Department at the present time. All positions in the psychology department will be filled in the near future.

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